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HOLY WEEK SEES START OF NEW COVENTRY CATHEDRAL

In an ancient and colorful ceremony Queen Elizabeth today distributed Maundy Thursday money to "as many old men and as many old women as the sovereign is years of age." Queen will be 30 on April 21

so 30 aged men and women waited for her at Westminster Abbey. Picture shows Queen and Duke of Edinburgh at Coventry last Friday where monarch laid foundation stone of new cathedral. (Mirrorpic.)

NO PAPER GOOD FRIDAY

Tomorrow, Good Friday, will be observed as a holiday by the Times staff and there will be no regular editions of the paper. Next publication will be on Saturday with Weekend Magazine and all the customary Saturday features.

Jet Pilots Safe In Mid-Air Crash

CHATHAM, N.B. (CP)—Two Sabre jets collided in mid-air near the RCAF base here this afternoon and crashed. Both pilots escaped without apparent injury.

Killed by Elevator

SEATTLE (AP)—A freak elevator accident killed Mrs. Annie Ross Sexton, the operator, in a downtown office building here. Investigators said the 39-year-old woman's head was caught between the elevator and the shaft when she apparently leaned out.



DEVIL AT QUEEN'S EAR?

A devil's face which appears to be embedded in the hair to the right of the Queen's ear is attributed to an "error" made in the engraving of the Queen, which has been carried on all Canadian bank notes for the past 18 months. A spokesman said the engraving would be touched up shortly to eliminate "the face."

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Armstrong Gets City TV Station

HANGED HUNGARIANS TO BE 'REHABILITATED'

VIENNA (AP)—Hungary's Communist government announced today that it is "rehabilitating" its former foreign minister Laszlo Rajk, hanged in 1949 on charges of plotting with Yugoslav President Tito and the United States to overthrow his country's Red regime.

Hungarian Communist party chief, Matyas Rakosi, said Rajk's "innocent co-defendants" also are being rehabilitated. This is the term the Soviet Union has been using for victims of Stalinist purges who now are being declared guiltless.

I'm Crucified W. A. Scott Moans

Claims He's Called to Pay \$1,200
For Court Try to Unseat Mayor

"Tomorrow is Crucifixion day and today I'm being legally crucified," W. A. Scott told registrar J. P. Abel today as he protested against court costs of \$1,200 which he said he has been ordered to pay following a decision against him in his efforts to have the December civic election set aside on grounds of intimidation.

Mr. Scott said the settlement provided costs of \$400 for each of three lawyers.

"Where Mr. Scott is dreaming up the \$1,200, I don't know," said Lloyd McKenzie, one of the three lawyers who represented the city, mayor and city clerk in January. "Proceedings are not at the cost stage. No one has asked Mr. Scott for anything."

Today's meeting, Mr. McKenzie explained, was merely an application to the registrar to settle the form of the court order.

LEGAL EXTORTION
Mr. Scott told Mr. Abel that the costs were not justified and he was the victim of "legal extortion."

Mr. McKenzie said he was not going to listen to Mr. Scott making a long dissertation. Mr. Scott, he said, took the petition against the mayor and lost.

"Now he is trying to avoid responsibility for paying costs," he said. Mr. Scott, apparently losing his temper, jumped onto a chair and began shouting at Mr. McKenzie.

"Boohah, lord high executioner," he shouted. "This is a comic opera. You bring Gilbert and Sullivan up to date."

He said "I've been abused and persecuted by the court. The whole thing is a fiasco." Mr. Abel warned him that he was in danger of being held in contempt.

Mr. Scott replied that the lawyers had tried to make a "political monkey" of him. "The lawyers don't understand my language," he said, "but I still have the intelligence to know that I'm right. There are a few who still believe that justice still exists."

Mr. Scott charged lawyers with being the highest paid men for being 50 per cent wrong.

Mr. Abel told Mr. Scott that if he was opposed to the costs, he had the right of appeal, but there was nothing he could do to change the order awarding costs to the successful parties.

Mr. Scott finally stomped out of the office, hurling abuses at the legal profession and the courts.

Father, Son Perish In Home Fire

GRACEFIELD, Que. (CP)—Herve Courcelle, 32, and his two-year-old son were burned to death today in a fire that destroyed their frame home in the nearby village of Chenier.

Mrs. Courcelle, the mother, was severely burned, and two other children in the house at the time also suffered burns.

Gracefield is about 60 miles north of Ottawa.

Jet Hunt Continues

VANCOUVER (CP)—Seven aircraft from nearby Sea Island RCAF base and three more from Comox, on Vancouver Island, rejoined the search today for a missing T-33 jet trainer, presumed to have crashed a week ago in Georgia Strait.

Attach Crooner's Car

SANTA MONICA, Calif. (AP)—Crooner Dick Haymes has lost the use of his \$5,000 convertible sports car. The car was attached Tuesday in connection with a suit claiming Haymes owes \$316.94 at a Malibu market.

CKDA Gets License For Channel 6

OTTAWA (BUP)—The Board of Governors of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation today recommended approval of a television licence application by David M. Armstrong, to establish a station on Channel 6 to serve Victoria.

Mr. Armstrong earlier announced he planned to have the station in operation by next fall.

The CBC board rejected an application by International Television Corp. Ltd., owned by William Rea, Jr., of New Westminster, to establish a Victoria station, and said Armstrong's application was "satisfactory."

"In recommending this application, the board notes that Mr. Armstrong operates a local radio station and there is substantial evidence of local support."

The board's recommendations are made to the department of transport which issues the operating licenses, and usually follows the advice of the board.

SAANICH STUDIOS

Mr. Armstrong will build studios at Derby Road in Saanich beside the transmitter at a cost of \$50,000. Technical equipment is expected to cost another \$208,713.

The station's power is expected to be 1,800 watts video and 900 watts audio.

His company will consist of Charles R. White, TV executive from Clarkston, Wash., a New Westminster dentist, Dr. Martin Mathisen, and himself. Mr. White has been designated station manager by Mr. Armstrong.

Mr. Armstrong said that the new station's (CKTV) studios will include a two-camera studio for live shows, news cast studio, and offices.

He envisages live programs covering the news, weather, amateur talent, panel discussions, cooking and homemaking, children's shows, medical and legal forums, fishing, hunting and hobby shows.

Programs are expected to start at 4 p.m. daily and continue until midnight. Color programs will be shown eventually, said Mr. Armstrong.



A-Ships to Scatter?

Dispersal to Commonwealth countries of the atomic warships now being built for the Royal Navy is being seriously considered, Earl Mountbatten, first sea lord, revealed in an interview at Wellington, N.Z., today.



AND THEY CRUCIFIED HIM... And sitting down they watched him there... Then there were two thieves crucified with him, one on the right hand, and another on the left. And they that passed by reviled him, wagging their heads, and saying... If thou be the Son of God, come down from the cross.—Matt. 27, 35, 38, 40.

PRAYER FOR TODAY

DEAR GOD we meditate today on the agony of Thy Son as He hung on the cross at Calvary. And we glory humbly in the perfect love that shone through that day of ultimate pain and death. We remember how He asked forgiveness for His tormentors, gave His mother a new son in John, called the penitent thief to be with Him in paradise. And we covet for ourselves the transcendent faith with which He said: "Father into Thy hands I commend my spirit." Through Him, may it also be unto us. Amen.

See Good Friday services in Victoria churches on Page 28.



To Quit Politics

Dr. Larry Giovando, independent member of the British Columbia Legislature for Nanaimo and The Islands, announced in Nanaimo, Wednesday, he will not stand for re-election in the next provincial election. He said there is "too much abuse and too much work." He plans to return to private medical practice.

Ship Burns, 35 Rescued

PROGRESO, Mexico (AP)—

Port officials said today all the passengers and crew aboard the Mexican motor vessel Motul had been rescued. The ship burned and sank in the Gulf of Campeche on Wednesday night.

Joselin Gobas, a port authority official, said 21 passengers and a crew of 14 were rescued by the Mexican coastguard boat Virgilio Uribe and an amphibian plane.

\$225 CROSSWORD TODAY; NO WINNER LAST WEEK

Since The Times will not publish Good Friday, complete answer and explanation of last week's Crossword Puzzle will appear on Saturday.

Meanwhile, to give readers full-time in which to work on the new puzzle it is being printed today on page 25. There were no winners last week so the prize for Times subscribers in this week's contest jumps to \$225.

No Racing Friday

Friday is a scheduled open date at both Tantramar and Bowie tracks. Racing will resume Saturday with complete programs.

Penitent Prodigal Klaus Crow Laid Down His Head and Died

WINNIPEG (CP)—Klaus is dead. The talking crow put his head on the shoulder of his mistress, Mrs. Edith Rasmussen, today and died without saying a word.

"I don't know what was the matter with him," Mrs. Rasmussen said tearfully. "I tried to get him to play with me this morning but he wouldn't."

Mrs. Rasmussen was given Klaus by a friend a year ago. She said the bird could sing "How Much Is That Doggie in the Window?" It danced to the radio and insulted the neighbors.

Eleven days ago Klaus flew away and for a week had suburban St. James residents chasing after him. He was finally trapped by a young girl who threw a cardboard box over him as he strutted in a back yard.

But Klaus was a changed bird. He returned home and refused to talk. He would sit by the hour on the back of his own chair and not make a sound.

"He was so bad," said Mrs. Rasmussen. "But he was so funny. We wouldn't hurt him for the world."

"My husband said he's got me another crow and I will teach it the tricks that Klaus could do," she said.

So Dr. Giovando's plannin' t' leave. But at least, y' might say he didn't leave till th' Party wuz over.

All I kin say is, there's a lot o' talkin' crows thet don't wear feathers.



OL' VIC SAYS:

TRUCE ON HANGINGS REJECTED BY GARSON

OTTAWA (CP)—Justice Minister Garson Wednesday rejected a CCF member's suggestion that further executions be postponed until Parliament deals with the question of capital punishment.

He said such a postponement by the cabinet would, in effect, repeal the law passed by Parliament.

"The executive has no intention of doing any such thing," Mr. Garson said.

North B.C. Logging Urged by Big Firm

Take Pressure Off Coastal Area,
Powell River Company Tells Probe

Timber firms should be induced to move operations to northern B.C. to take some pressure from the Vancouver forest district which is now approaching the allowable cut.

This contention was put before the Sloan forestry commission this week in a supplementary brief by the Powell River Co.

The firm maintains there is need of development in the north coast area, which is being cut at only 20 per cent of the allowable rate. In the Prince Rupert forest district "stagnant, over-mature forests are preventing the establishment of dynamic young forests upon which future generations must depend," the brief said.

SEALED TENDERS

The company urged the B.C. Forest Service to initiate timber sales in the northern areas on a sealed tender basis to encourage competition instead of the present open auction bidding. Stumpage rates should also be lowered.

The Sloan hearings will resume in Vancouver April 9 following adjournment here Wednesday for the Easter holidays.

Chief Justice Gordon Sloan announced at the close of Wednesday's session at the courthouse that the Vancouver sitting, to complete taking of evidence, probably will last three or five days.

The commission then will adjourn for four or five weeks to allow counsel to study submissions, re-opening in Victoria May 14 for final hearing.

U.S. PLAN

John Liersch, vice-president in charge of forest operations for the Powell River Co. Wednesday under cross examination by small operators' counsel R. Howard, supported the timber sales system of the U.S. Forest Service. He said it would be "very desirable" in some under-cut B.C. areas.

Instead of companies looking on their own for timber stands, the government forest service would decide what areas it was going to put up for sale and then notify prospective buyers.

Mr. Liersch said this method would require more staff and money than the B.C. Forest Service has at present.

Under the plan the government could do the same type of long-range planning as now is done by private firms under forest management licences.

HAY FAMINE LOOMS

ABBOTSFORD—Fraser Valley farmers are facing what many say may be the greatest hay shortage in history.

Reports from individual farmers indicate a large number have not got enough hay to see them through until pastures are ready for grazing. What little hay is available has been selling for as high as \$80 a ton.

Dr. M. F. Clarke, superintendent of the Agassiz experimental farm, said surveys indicate the 1956 hay crop may be as low as 50 to 75 per cent of normal.



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Silent Slayer Suspect Once Mental Case

VANCOUVER (CP)—The mother of a youth accused of murder collapsed in the witness box Wednesday after she supported doctors' testimony on her son's history of mental illness.

The inquest into the death of Raymond T. Duchateau, 29-year-old bank clerk, was immediately adjourned by coroner Glen McDonald.

Ronald Clifford Dingman, 18, is accused of murdering Duchateau in a beer parlor stabbing Saturday.

Cuchateau was talking, in French, to companions when a man came from a nearby table and, without saying a word, plunged a knife into his abdomen.

Dingman, sitting handcuffed between two constables, made no move when his mother suddenly collapsed.

Earlier Dr. Gordon H. Stevenson testified Dingman was admitted to a psychiatric clinic Dec. 15, 1954, with a "severe mental illness."

Mrs. Dingman collapsed after telling the inquiry jury that her son had once attacked her daughter's child and smashed his own record player and a number of records.

Dr. Stevenson said Dingman was treated for three months for schizophrenia and discharged March 3, 1955, after showing signs of considerable improvement.

He said it would not be surprising to see a recurrence of Dingman's type of illness.

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MANITOBA GAS TAX INCREASED 2 CENTS

WINNIPEG (CP)—An increase of two cents a gallon in the provincial tax on gasoline, effective April 1, was included today in a record \$85,000,000 budget presented in the legislature by Provincial Treasurer R. D. Turner.

The increase raises the provincial impost to 11 cents a gallon. Mr. Turner said it was expected to net the treasury \$2,000,000 in the next fiscal year.

The province is budgeting for a surplus of \$442,280.

Deficit May Curtail Hospital Services

The Royal Jubilee Hospital will be forced to close part of its operations unless more provincial aid is forthcoming, administrator George Masters said today.

He made the statement while reviewing the annual report presented to subscribers Wednesday night.

It showed a deficit of \$100,128 in 1955, the second year in a row that a deficit has been reported.

"Deficits resulted before but the government finally paid them," Mr. Masters added. He said the deficit was not cancelled out by government aid last year and operating reserves were reduced.

Mr. Masters did not say what services would be curtailed if present operation losses continue.

The deficit last year was \$34,388 greater than the one recorded in 1954, the 66th annual report stated.

The increase was attributed by honorary-treasurer G. H. Stevens to purchased services and higher wages reached through conciliation.

The meeting, held in the nurses' residence, was told expenses increased last year from \$2,560,093 to \$2,594,482, or 1.3 per cent.

At the same time, Mr. Masters reminded the audience of more than 100 that planning is proceeding for hospital expansion through erection of a 100-bed wing.

He announced plans are being made for an addition to the nurses' residence, built in 1925.

"We can't delay an addition if we hope to increase training classes," he stated.

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3-Man Executive Commission Favored by Vancouver Council

VANCOUVER (CP)—Members of the city council Wednesday voted 8 to 1 in support of a three-man executive commission as an alternative to the present form of civic government.

A suggestion that the city be placed under a city manager, favored by Ald. George Cunningham, was opposed by Mayor Fred Hume and seven aldermen.

After debating 90 minutes on the principal recommendation of the \$22,500 Jacobi Public Ad-

ministration Service report, council favored two alternatives. Both include the proposed three-man commission.

One would entail boosting powers of the present general purposes committee, made up of the city's three top-salaried officials. It would give the com-

mittee authority over virtually all routine matters, other than policy.

The other would be appointment of a three-man executive commission, with an alderman as chairman and including the city comptroller and city engineer.

Mr. Casey's successor will be named at the next meeting of the board.

Speakers underlined the need for private donations to augment government support if the present standard of care is to be continued.

A total of \$18,000 was contributed in this manner last year, including an anonymous \$1,000 donation.

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IN PARLIAMENT

Members Enjoy
11-Day Recess

(From Times News Services)

Members today began an 11-day Easter recess.

House adjourned Wednesday in the throes of the budget debate, a period of eight sitting days during which members can get almost anything off their chests that's bothering them.

The session will resume April 9, taking up its business with the fourth day of debate on the budget announced by Finance Minister Harris March 20. The Senate, which recessed last Thursday, won't reconvene until April 18.

Members aired a wide variety of subjects Wednesday before heading homeward.

H. A. Bryson (CCF, Humboldt-Melfort) said one step toward a sound Canadian agriculture program would be to fire Agriculture Minister Gardiner and establish parity prices for farm products.

Parity prices would link returns on agricultural products to prices of other products.

Stand-Pat Budget Wise Move

A stand-pat budget was wise at this time. Aside from international considerations, the federal treasury faced an additional \$182,000,000-a-year payment as its share of the proposed national health insurance plan.

Mr. Philpott said the federal government should take on the full cost of the Trans-Canada Highway, a vital national necessity. At present cost is being split with the provinces.

Two newspaper men, both Liberal members, expressed complete support for the proposed new federal tax on Canadian editions of U.S. magazines.

Elmore Philpott, a columnist for the Vancouver Sun, said Canadian magazines are menaced by "fig leaf editions" of U.S. publications. The fig leaf is the maple leaf printed on their covers, he said, adding: "Of course that little maple leaf covers up their true identity about as much as the fig leaf covered Eve."

"HAPPY DECISION"

Gerard Legare, publisher of the weekly newspaper L'Echo du Bas St. Laurent in his constituency of Rimouski, said the decision to levy a 20 per cent tax on advertising revenues of the special Canadian editions is "a happy decision" and "a bright idea."

It would balance the American and Canadian costs of publishing magazines, thus permitting Canadian magazines to compete on more equal terms. The tax might even have been slightly higher for that purpose.

The two Liberals spoke after Margaret Aitken, Progressive Conservative member for York-Humber and a columnist for the Toronto Telegram, continued her party's criticism of the tax.

"I believe it is simply a discriminatory and punitive measure against certain magazines," she said.

HEAVY DEBATE

Accomplishments of the pre-Easter term of the session were few, apart from filling Hansard, the official record of debates, with 2,700 pages of talk.

Major bills passed in the first part of the session extended bank loans, guaranteed by the government, to western farmers hard-pressed for cash because of their inability to deliver wheat to congested elevators, and provided a \$32,000,000 subsidy for long-term elevator storage of grain.

The Easter recess provided

He was, sure the minister would like to retire to his farm at Lemberg, Sask. But Mr. Gardiner "cannot afford to do that because of the unrealistic and poverty-stricken agricultural policies to which he has been a party in this country."

Sticking closer to budgetary matters, Elmore Philpott (L. Vancouver South) said there is little hope for drastic tax cuts or increased welfare payments until reasonable agreement is reached on international arms limitations.

Mr. Harris announced only a few cuts in sales tax amounting to about \$12,000,000 and predicted a \$113,000,000 surplus for the 1956-57 fiscal year.

"There is a vital connection between what happens in the warfare state and what happens to the welfare state," Mr. Philpott said.

Members with a chance to sound out their constituents on what they think of the work of parliament so far.

Already, the lines are being drawn for the next federal general election, probably in the summer of 1957, so the recess also will give the MPs a chance to do some political fence-mending.

Rail Crash Kills 13

STOCKHOLM, Sweden (UP)—A crowded single coach train collided head-on at top speed with a freight train on a curve near Arvidsjaur in snow-covered Swedish Lapland today. At least 13 persons were reported killed.

WANTS STALEMATE ENDED

Pearson Pushing Indo-China Talks

WASHINGTON (AP)—Canada is seeking to push the Indo-China stalemate off dead centre far enough to hold talks about unifying elections—if not the elections themselves.

External Affairs Minister Pearson is understood to be doing most of the pushing. He dined here Wednesday night with State Secretary Dulles and has arranged to confer in New York Friday with India's V. K. Krishna Menon.

Canada and India are members of the International Trade Commission in Indo-China. Communist Poland is the third member.

As things now stand, the biggest Indo-China state, Viet Nam, is divided between the Communists in the north and the west-backed government of Premier Ngo Dinh Diem in the south.

Diem's strength has grown from rebel-battered shakiness to strength which reached its peak with election this month of a constituent assembly in which his supporters hold most of the seats. It is expected to produce a constitution giving Diem much power.

Diem is strongly opposed to holding unifying elections this year. Under the Indo-China truce of 1954, such elections were to be held in July of this year to permit all the people of Viet Nam to vote on whether they want the Communists or Diem's government to rule the whole state.

Diem argues that his govern-

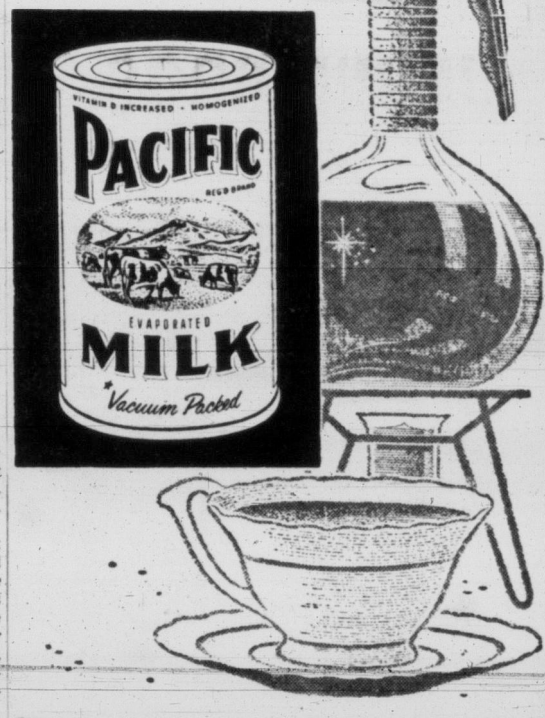
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Destroyer Escort Margaree Launched

HALIFAX (RUP)—The wife of Rear Admiral R. E. S. Bidwell officiated at launching ceremonies today of the Royal Canadian Navy's 10th destroyer escort, the Margaree.

The Margaree became the second Canadian warship to bear the name. The first, a destroyer, was sunk in 1940 in a collision with a merchant ship only a month and a half after it was put into service.

East Sooke Gets Daily Mail Run

Starting April 3, mail will be delivered daily except Sunday to the East Sooke area via R.R. No. 1, instead of three times a week as at present.

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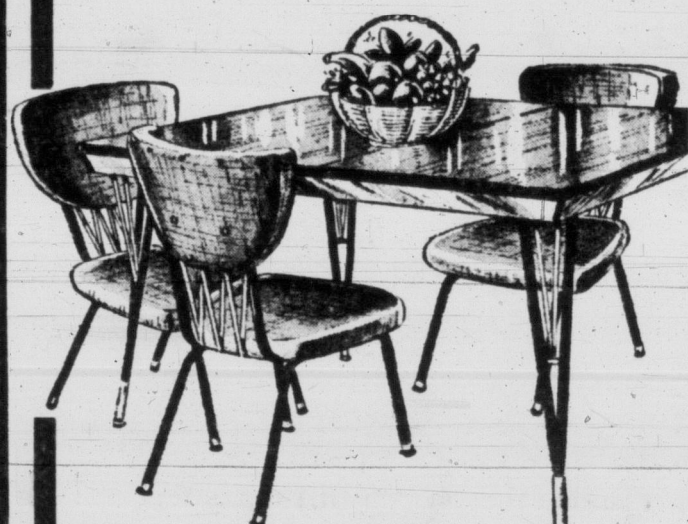
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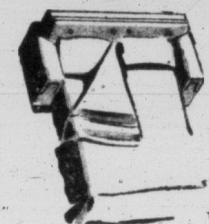
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THURSDAY, MARCH 29, 1956

The Case of Mrs. Arsens

MRS. LYDIA ARSENS' CHARGE that Canadian doctors know about a cancer cure but are afraid to reveal it lest they incur the discipline of organized American medicine can be dismissed at once.

This, of course, is a slander on a profession which has striven through the centuries to find a cure for cancer as for other diseases. If medicine knew of a general cancer cure it would be instantly revealed and universally applied. And the public will prefer to rely on the opinion of scientists in all countries than on the rather hysterical pronouncements of Mrs. Arsens, who is a politician, not a scientist.

Nevertheless, her recent statements have caused some public confusion and probably a good deal of unnecessary mental anguish among those afflicted with cancer. As always happens when politicians make loose statements of this sort, it is impossible for the medical profession to keep abreast of them. Mrs. Arsens doubtless will continue her agitation while the doctors are too busy to answer her.

That there may be no doubt left in the public mind, Premier Bennett would be well advised to settle this controversy by some form of official inquiry.

No elaborate and expensive royal commission is required. If the government would instruct the able physicians of its health department to look into Mrs. Arsens' statements and investigate the clinics she has

mentioned, the word of these men will be accepted.

Certainly Mr. Bennett and his Government are not responsible for the views of their supporter from Victoria. But when the public mind is disturbed by a question which touches or may touch so many people it is the duty of the Government to make sure that it is answered without delay.

Mrs. Arsens has herself accepted a grave responsibility when she attacks the medical profession and raises among the sick hopes which reputable doctors consider baseless. As The Vancouver Sun remarked the other day, the press also has a responsibility in such a matter.

The Sun has refused to print more of Mrs. Arsens' statements on the ground that they are unproved and can do nothing but mischief. This newspaper has printed them, along with the official statements of the medical profession, because Mrs. Arsens is an elected legislator. We hold that the public which elected her is entitled to hear her views and, if it disagrees with them, to deal with her at the next election.

The follies of elected persons are part of the price we must always pay for democracy and freedom of speech. It is the duty of the press to print the news, not to censor the news when the press disagrees with it. Once censorship is applied, even for sincere reasons, there is no end to it. And once the public has all the facts it will make up its own mind about Mrs. Arsens.

An Eye on School Taxes

COUNCILS OF GREATER VICTORIA have received their respective bills for this year's school costs. All are dismayed by the amounts.

Victoria, following a full explanation from the school board, has approved payment of its share of the educational estimates, still believing the figure is very high.

Esquimalt and Oak Bay have "received and filed" the school budgets, making a passive protest against the sums required for their taxpayers for schools, but not actively opposing their payment.

Saanich has followed the other avenue open to the municipalities. It is calling for arbitration. In this action Saanich probably hopes for little if any relief. But the municipality will have the opportunity, by this means, of drawing public attention to the fact that a large share of municipal taxes is committed to the educational account.

All four municipal councils and the citizens of the whole district will doubtless have noted the remarks of School Board Chairman W. H. Golby on the question. "If," says Mr. Golby, "the pattern of education is too costly, then the people as a whole must signify it. Many feel that school costs and the education system have become too elaborate... but I do feel every citizen is paying no greater proportion of his income than he has in former years."

The outcome of actions by different councils and discussions with school boards will probably have little effect on the payments to be made by taxpayers this year.

They can, however, serve to emphasize the fact that school boards are tax-levying agencies and that councils are not responsible for the money taken from the taxpayers' pockets for education.

The statement earlier this week by Reeve Arthur Ash of Saanich has shown municipal sensitivity on that point. The Reeve argued, as others have argued before him, that school boards present their budgets to councils and the tax-collecting ma-

chinery of the councils is required to raise the money.

He added that "surely the elected representatives of the people are entitled to all details of estimated current expenditures."

Of course they are. And when Reeve Ash thought the matter over, he doubtless realized that school trustees, who weigh budget items carefully, are also "elected representatives of the people."

They are municipal representatives elected particularly for the job of handling school affairs. A large part of their duties consists in considering those items in the budget which are under their control—not solely within the jurisdiction of the provincial department. And the trustees are elected by the same voters who choose councils.

If there has been lack of liaison between the board and the councils—or if there has merely appeared to be lack of liaison—that is to be regretted. The mayor, reeves, aldermen and councillors should be as fully informed as possible on questions of civic expenditure, even when those expenditures are under the jurisdiction of another elected body.

Council members need such data in order to appreciate the burdens placed on ratepayers. And since councils have a general belief that they are held responsible for the total municipal tax rate—school rates included—even though the tax bills specifically mark out the respective claims on the tax dollar, they should be completely informed.

Mr. Golby has placed responsibility exactly where it belongs. It is up to the people to complain if they consider the pattern of education too costly, he says. That is something for the public to keep in mind with specific reference to the tax-levying powers exercised by the school board.

If current discussions and protests serve no other purpose than to fix that point in the public mind, they will have served a useful purpose.

Part of the Pattern

THE CRITICISM HAS BEEN EXPRESSED that United States aid to Afghanistan, while valuable and needed, has not received the publicity it should, and the consequent friendship of the Afghans. Soviet aid, on the other hand, while far less in quantity and quality, has won gratitude through more widespread knowledge among the recipients.

Examples have been given. The U.S. provided a power plant in the Afghan hinterland. This was a great boon, but little known by the bulk of the population. The U.S. had refused to pave the main street of the capital on the grounds that its aid policy permitted only needed economic improvements. Kabul's streets, it was said, carried mainly horse and pedestrian traffic and did not require paving.

But the Soviets seized the opportunity: paved the street and won wide acclaim, at comparatively little expense, for Russian friendship.

Now it appears that all of Russia's contributions to Afghanistan do

not receive the same publicity. Pakistan complains that Soviet arms are quietly finding their way to the Khyber Pass and into the hands of border tribes, thus posing a threat to Pakistan.

The situation is sharpened by the fact that Moscow is known to be fomenting unrest in the area. There have been efforts to rouse support for a Pushtu-speaking state to be carved out of Pakistan territory on the northern frontier. The falsity of the move may be seen in the complete lack of local enthusiasm on the Pakistan side, and the fact that the adjacent Pushtu-speaking people on the Afghanistan side apparently are not included in the scheme.

Obviously the whole development is Moscow's answer to Pakistan participation in Western alliances. The border tribes are being used as pawns in a larger game, which sees a Kremlin hand extended into every corner of the world where fomented unrest can keep peace in a precarious state.

Easter Egg Coloring Contest



LOOSE ENDS

By BRUCE HUTCHISON

The Beard and the Noose

IF I were an American I would feel in duty bound to organize a Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Presidential Candidates. For observe what has lately happened to Mr. Adlai Stevenson. He went to Tucson, Arizona, the other day and was warmly greeted by an organization called the Vigilantes who, in a demonstration of their hospitality, photographed him for publication in the grip of a hangman's noose.

This, one supposes, was merely an innocent exercise in nostalgia, an invocation of the old wild western spirit, the ritual of a frontier myth. But, printed in the press, it became one of those cruel and unnatural punishments specifically forbidden in the Constitution. Mr. Stevenson submitted to the frolic since presidential candidates seem to have no constitutional rights.

THEN, in Meeker County, Minnesota, he found himself in the midst of a centennial celebration and the local patriots insisted on photographing him in a false beard and appointing him "Head Whisker" of an organization known as "Members of the Brush." Mr. Stevenson submitted, knowing that the life of a presidential candidate is full of close shaves.

The false beard satisfied the patriotism of Meeker County. It did Mr. Stevenson no good, apparently, in the subsequent primary elections. He was defeated by Senator Kefauver, dressed in a false consoling hat.

Perhaps Mr. Stevenson is not a man who can wear a beard or a noose convincingly. These stage props cannot hide his intellectual qualities, and why a foreigner may ask, is it considered necessary to hide them?

THE Democratic Party organizers seem to regard Mr. Stevenson's intellect as his only liability in politics and they are trying to make him what they choose to call "folksy" even if, now and then, they have to make him ridiculous. Above all, they must remove from his reputation the awful label of "egghead" even though it doesn't seem to bother Mr. Stevenson who, in one of his best criticisms, once united the eggheads of the world to unite since they had nothing to lose but their yolks. Well, in the Minnesota primaries the shell of the most famous egghead was cracked, if not broken.

All these curious adventures make a foreigner wonder whether the campaign managers are not under-estimating the intelligence of the American voter.

IS INTELLECT such a serious liability in a statesman, after all? Is an intellectual and philosopher of politics

automatically barred from the presidency? Would a Jefferson, Adams or Wilson be a failure at the polls today because he was an egghead?

Or are we only witnessing this year the historic tragedy of a great man who happened to emerge into presidential politics at exactly the wrong moment, against an unbeatable competitor and, under the American system, must be president or nothing?

This, of course, is the American people's business and none of ours. But the larger laws of human behaviour governing such things are not confined to the United States.

IN ANY free country it is impossible to disguise the real character of any public man for long with beards and nooses. A democratic electorate seems to possess an infallible collective judgment about its leaders, a judgment in the end much sounder than the judgment of individuals, however intelligent. The phony is always found out in due time and the great man recognized by public instinct.

To be sure, every statesman, in every country, must strike a certain public image, a customary posture and, like a seasoned actor, must always display those familiar mannerisms that the people expect. Sir Winston would still be Churchill without his cigar, but the public would feel that something was missing.

THAT, I suppose, is why it is so dangerous for the Russian rulers to remove overnight the familiar image of the late Josef Stalin, seal his tomb and smash his statues. You can't defy a man one day and excommunicate him the next with bell, book and candle, without grave disturbances in the public mind and certain dangerous public thoughts about the inconceivable.

Or to take Mr. Stevenson—a man about as different from Stalin as any man could be—you can't suddenly make him folksy, dress him a beard or noose without doing violence not only to him but to the opinion of mankind. Perhaps it doesn't matter, though, in a democracy. A free people is wiser than the political organizers usually imagine. They can see through a beard, a noose or an eggshell.

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From Our Files

March 29, 1896 — Gilmore and McCandless, 35 Johnson St., offer a bicycle to the boy who, on buying a suit, guesses nearest to the number of shot in a glass.

March 29, 1916 — Petrograd: Speakers in the Russian parliament declared that "before the war ends we must obtain by settlement with our allies absolute control of the straits (Dardanelles) with Constantinople and Adrianople and the necessary district of Gallipoli... We must arrange for joint control with our allies over the Holy Land."

March 29, 1936 — CCF leader J. S. Woodsworth said in Montreal that the CCF is opposed to Canadian participation in any war.

As Our Readers See It

Here or There

When your columnist, David Brock, quotes from English poets let him do so correctly. He makes Browning say "O to be in England, now that April's here," but Browning wrote "Oh, to be in England, now that April's there"—a fitting comment is provided by the same poet—"Oh, the little more, and how much it is! and the little less, and what worlds away!"

Mr. Brock also makes a sarcastic comment about "coming down to Kew in lilac time." Alfred Noyes wrote "Go down to Kew in lilac-time, and you shall wander hand in hand with love in summer's wonderland." Experto Crede!

C. B. R.

Tom Obee

With the passing of Mr. Thomas Obee, the sincere sympathy of the entertainers goes out to Mrs. Obee and members of the family.

For many years past, I have had the pleasure and privilege of travelling all over the Island with Tom and our concert party, during the First and Second World Wars visiting troops all over the Island besides helping other charitable causes, and I know his heart was always for their welfare. As a Coster comedian and in other shows he was outstanding and we all will miss him very much. All we can say is farewell to a fine man and keen entertainer. He gave of his services to help others.

FRANK MERRYFIELD,
423 William Street.

Bus Drivers' Pay

In his letter of the 19th inst., Mr. R. E. Dawson sounded like a really angry man. And small blame to him. We, the public, are all more or less angry but very few attempt to overcome their inertia and make substantial use of their anger.

The busmen's union, like all the other unions, has no excuse for its demands. But it does have the confidence that its demands, coupled with threats, can be achieved. What is this idea but a species of blackmail? And don't blackmailers continue their demands as long as there is any blood in the victim, e.g. the public, or until they are drastically stopped? Mr. Dawson thinks our money may become valueless. It's certainly heading that way.

Every shopper is told two or three times a week "Price is up." How horrible that phrase has become! And if the B.C. Electric yields and increases its present high fares there'll be trouble, hardly—in Victoria—of the physical type recently seen in Montreal, but certainly in less patronage. A bus strike in this city need not be very serious. Hundreds of car drivers could, and would, see to that.

Who will be the first employer here to take a firm stand, to refuse any increase whatsoever, and be prepared to accept a monetary loss for the sake of future peace from the annual demands? If there be such an employer he will be a public benefactor and will help to bring sanity into the nightmare labor atmosphere of this beautiful province.

H. SMITH.

Against It

Lecturing before that responsible body of men the American College of Physicians and Surgeons last week in Detroit a Dr. Exmoor(?) emphatically denounced the 'fluoridation' of drinking

water, outlining the grave menace this presents in terms of bone injury, etc. He remarked that he was aware that American dentists had advocated this same fluoridation!

It has been verified that a discreet intake of fluorides up to eight years of age, is all that is necessary for permanent teeth benefit—this positively does not permit of victimization of thousands of adults. Let the anxious commiserating dentists put out a child's food formula to further their admirable altruism in terms of less dentistry. It is quite obvious that most of us have a distinct as well as an urgent, "intolerance" of fluorides, if one is to believe the expert opinion above.

KATHLEEN WORTHINGTON-LAKE,
851 Maddison Street.

For Strong Teeth

I receive four papers each week from England. One reports a doctor's conference about fluorides.

They said it did not help the children's teeth much. They dropped out later but it did harden the spine and pelvic bone in older people. Well, it stands to reason it also hardens the bones in children if taken for any length of time.

It's the diet that is to blame. To have healthy gums and teeth they have to chew and they do very little of it these days. The food is all soft. They just put it in their mouths and swallow. Raw apples, carrots, potatoes, celery and a chunk of raw sweet turnip, even the nice white pieces from the heart of the cabbage, are a lot better for them than sweets. People would laugh at you if you told them to give the baby a nice smooth bone from a cooked chop to chew on but it helps their teeth. Bread is too soft, no crust. All our food is the same, so start them chewing again. They can get all they need to keep the teeth clean in a tube of tooth paste.

(MRS.) LUCY NEWBIGIN,
814 Hereward Road.

Come Josephine . . .

The current controversy in the press re the Hon. Mr. Gagliardi and his use of government planes, appears to be small-town politics, and should indicate that the outmoded political machines are envious of ministers and a government that gets things done in a big way in B.C.—and will continue to do so.

In Alberta and Texas, planes are used extensively by business executives, ranchers and government agencies, to increase efficiency. In Saskatchewan, which is not noted for progress under the CCF government, a fleet of aerial ambulances is in use, and emergency cases may be flown to the famous medical centres in the U.S.A., without border entry formalities.

In the early days in Alberta, Liberal cabinet ministers were supplied with expensive cars and a chauffeur, although the time factor was not then so important, nor the budget so large. Here in Victoria, B.C., in 1956, with the largest expansion program in our history, it would appear some individuals would prefer to have Social Credit cabinet ministers riding a bicycle and carrying their lunch.

Let's give Mr. Gagliardi some jet planes if he wants to move faster and commute daily between Kamloops and Victoria! Many executives do that between Calgary and Edmonton, and they know their business and get things done, too!

A. C. McFAYDEN,
2011 Crescent Rd.

Forecast: Rough and Tough

By STEWART ALSOP, From Washington

THE voters of Minnesota have briskly shaken up the whole political scene in the same way that a child shakes a toy kaleidoscope. All the pieces of the political picture have changed position, and it will never look the same again. As far as Adlai Stevenson is concerned, the big question is, of course, whether the grievous wound he has sustained is mortal. His supporters claim that he can rise, like Sir Andrew Barton, and fight again. Most observers, including Democrats friendly to him, suspect that he is finished.

Stevenson's own mood may turn out to be a factor in the equation. Friends who sat with him on that Tuesday night, as the disastrous news of Estes Kefauver's victory came in, say that he became increasingly angry and embattled as the evening wore on. His parting words were: "Damn it, bring on the next one, and we'll show them."

The next one, of course, is the Florida primary and the one after that California. If Stevenson's embattled mood is sustained, he just might "show them" in both, which of course he must do to remain in the running.

Stevenson's greatest weakness so far is that despite the admirable style and content of many of his speeches, he has been unable to convey to the voters any sense of real emotion about the issues. It has been as though he were hardly personally involved in the campaign at all.

Stevenson will be the underdog in Florida and California, an advantage Kefauver has hitherto enjoyed. If Stevenson now shows the fire and fight he has so far lacked, he might pull it off.

But as one Stevenson admirer remarked mournfully, "Where are we going to get people to work for us now, at the precinct level? And where are we going to get the dough?"

Since Minnesota, getting the dough, which has previously been one of his great worries, should be easy for

Kefauver. For Kefauver must of course now be considered a most serious contender. His special campaign formula—the little man against the bosses, plus a something-for-everybody policy line—has been proved to the hilt, and no one is likely to make the mistake of again underestimating his political courage and shrewdness.

Yet the Kefauver formula has its drawbacks. Wherever he goes, he is a threat to the established order of things.

His Minnesota triumph was, of course, a kick in the face for the entire Minnesota Democratic leadership, and, as one Democrat remarked, "Leaders in every state are saying to themselves, 'There but for the grace of God go I.' With the Northern professionals and Southern grandees united against him, it is still difficult to see how Kefauver can get a majority of the delegate votes."

That is one reason why the switchboards at New York's Tammany Hall and the Governor's mansion in Albany have been humming with calls from shaken Stevenson supporters.

Dark Horses

The current word is that Gov. Averell Harriman can be expected to change from "inactive" status as a candidate, to "fairly active," but that he will not enter any primaries. Any delegate-hunting will be left up to shrewd Tammany leader Carmine De Sapio, who will do what needs to be done quietly, hardly stirring from New York.

In the view of some experienced observers, Harriman is, indeed, now the man to beat. The chances of such dark horses as Sen. Lyndon Johnson and Stuart Symington have also been commensurately increased, of course—at least one knowledgeable Harriman man thinks that Symington, rather than Kefauver or the faltering Stevenson, presents the real danger to the Harriman candidacy.

But aside from individual fortunes, the whole shape and texture of the political scene have been drastically altered by Minnesota. The heavy farm vote for Kefauver was certainly in part a protest vote, and thus a dire warning to the Administration and the Republicans.

As for the Democrats, they will almost unanimously conclude that Stevenson-style "moderation" is not a paying proposition. Kefauver went all-out, not only on the farm issue, but on civil rights, repeal of Taft-Hartley, aid to Israel, and just about every "gut issue" there is.

Kefauver's Minnesota victory thus looks like the portent of a rough, name-calling, vote-catching campaign, very different from the lofty "democratic dialogue" which Adlai Stevenson once envisioned.

(1956, N.Y. Herald Tribune Inc.)

The Barber's Chair

TODAY happens to be this column's second anniversary. So, just for once, I want to write a column about column-writing, and about what I've learned in the past two years.

I've learned that a deadline is a blessing in disguise. For, without a deadline, I'd never bother to write at all.

I've learned that readers can be kind. Unexpectedly and unbelievably kind. They've written to me as I would write to a personal friend. They've shared things with me, telling me about books, poems or records that they've enjoyed, and think that I would, too. (And nearly always, they've been right.)

I've learned that most readers know next to nothing about the problems that confront a paper like the Times. (I didn't myself until I got this job.)

They don't seem to realize that, unlike a paper in a great metropolis, a paper like the Times goes into every kind of home and has to cater to all intellectual levels, to old and young, to rich and poor. It must—fitch a comparison from Robertson Davies' novel "Leviathan"—be like a barber's chair that fits all buttocks.

(And if you don't believe this, drive round the different districts of Victoria, consider the people in its stores and on its streets, and think of them as newspaper subscribers all taking the same paper. What kind of paper does each one want? Which section of the paper does each read first?)

I've learned that I have a host of self-appointed moral guardians who are quite convinced that I am prancing gaily towards the everlasting bonfire. And are they ever eager to snatch this little brand from burning!

I've learned that column-writing isn't a chicken's game. It's more like being a sitting duck for the slings and arrows of outraged (and outrageous) readers.

For a lot of readers look upon journalists as distinctly less than human. (They rank them a little lower than the apes, I'd say.) To anyone who's led the sheltered private life that I have, some readers' rudeness is quite astonishing.



Ruth

"WHO do you think you are anyway?" a furious one almost yelled at me the other day. "What do you know about writing anyway? What training have you ever had? What papers have you ever written for anyway?"

Well! (Swallow twice, and count to twenty, dear!)

To be honest, I don't think I'm anyone very much. Just a middle-aged woman writing with enjoyment about the things that interest me. I've never yet written a column that satisfied me. I doubt whether I ever shall.

I've never written regularly for any other paper. I'd never written a column in my life until I started with the Times.

But I do know a bit about writing and journalism. I know it because in my youth I often listened to discussions between people who took both seriously.

C. P. Scott, the Manchester Guardian's great editor, was a close friend of my grandmother and I was brought up to have a deep respect for the liberal principles of his journal, and for his dictum that facts are sacred but comment is FREE. (The capitals are mine.)

At Oxford, I learned to respect scholarship, to realize the relatively low calibre of my own intelligence, and to write in academic fashion.

In those same years, however, I also saw a lot of an uncle who, at that time, was editor of one of London's ruder, more sensational papers. He told me to forget all that I'd learned at Oxford, to stop being such a ruddy little intellectual snob, to acquire the human touch, to master the projection of the written word, to find out about Reader Identification and the Short Paragraph, and to be lively. In his book, dullness was the deadly sin. A dull journalist, he said, was no blanket use to the kind of paper he was running!

But that's enough of that. I only drag it out today because this is a second anniversary, and because I'm wildly interested in journalism and fanatically fond of this column job of mine.

Even if, like the paper I write for, I must strive to be a barber's chair for the assorted buttocks of Victoria!

How to Torture Your Wife



HOME GARDEN

By JACK BEASTALL

Dahlias Need Care In Winter Months

Dahlias are popular because of the variety in their shape and color and the good natured way they flower in most gardens.

Native to the mountains of Mexico they have adjusted themselves to temperate climates, but are not winter hardy here in the north. So we treat them as annuals, planting the tubers in spring, digging them in fall, and storing indoors over winter.

Most losses occur during this winter storage. The tubers shrivel unless the atmosphere is fairly moist, or rot if too much moisture is present.

When the stock of a particular variety gets low, the gardener can increase it rapidly by the use of green plants or cuttings.

The tubers are started in the usual way in boxes of moist soil and when the growths are about three inches long they are taken as cuttings and rooted in sand. One tuber can thus give six or more plants.

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Harry Nuttall, CPR Veteran, Dies at 76

Funeral services for Harry Ainsworth Nuttall, who was employed in the CPR coastal service for 26 years, were held today at Thomson's Funeral Home. Canon George Biddle officiated.

Mr. Nuttall, 76, died suddenly at his 1435 Thurlow Street home on Tuesday. He was a member of the Victoria Columbia Lodge No. 1, AF and AM, and a member of the Chrysanthemum Society.

Born in Rambsbottom, England, Mr. Nuttall came to Victoria in 1910. He was a veteran of the First World War, having served overseas with the motor transport of the Army Service Corps.

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NEW YORK (C.E.)—The International Press Association has protested to Canada that a proposed tax on some foreign magazines entering Canada would "immediately jeopardize" the free flow of information between countries of the Western Hemisphere.

James G. Stahlman, president of the association, said in a second telegram of protest to Prime Minister St. Laurent that "such punitive action by your government is at bewilderingly sharp variance with the history of Canadian-United States relations."

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LONDON LETTER

By WALLACE REYBURN

Russians Best Tippers

LONDON—Short takes...

People are flocking to the St. Martin's Theatre to see a new revue called Cranks.

One reason for the immediate sell-out business is that it is a slick, sophisticated show that has made its star—British-born, American-trained jazz singer Annie Ross—a London celebrity overnight.

Another reason is that Cranks was the show Princess Margaret took a liking to when it was having a try-out in the suburbs and visited several times. This she followed up by sitting in on rehearsals before its west end opening and giving the producer bits of advice that were accepted and incorporated into the revue.

All of which goes to prove that (a) if Princess Margaret displays interest in a new show the publicity assures it of success, and (b) if she wasn't in her present job it's a cinch she'd be in show business.

BRITAIN'S Sunday Dispatch, not famous for being a high-toned journal, features a bit of news about Canada which certainly wasn't picked up from an Ottawa trumpet-blowing handout: "Canada has ten times more drug addicts than Britain."

LETTER from Herbert Ramsay of the St. Thomas, Ont., Times-Journal re my recent mention of a Londoner who had been to see The Boy Friend 21 times: "On the last night of the colorful Oriental play Chu Chin Chow, which ran for about five years at London's His Majesty's Theatre during and after World War I, it was revealed that Walter Winans,

a wealthy American living in London, had seen the play 85 times. He said: 'I came because I am an artist and saw new beauties in it every time.'

REST: (1) Temple Fielding, who writes an annual travel book which serves as a guide to Americans visiting Britain, rates London's Savoy and Claridges as the best hotels in the world; (2) Doorman of one of London's most exclusive dining and winning clubs says the best tippers of them all are... no, no, no, Americans—the Russians.

They always tip twice as much as anyone else, he says, partially because it's good propaganda and partially to show their contempt for the pound. This is confirmed by the purser of the liner Queen Elizabeth. Two best tippers who make the Atlantic crossing: Malik and Molotov.

IF YOU WERE MOVED by Nevil Shute's gripping novel of British women prisoners of the Japs in Malaya, A Town Like Alice, you'll soon have the chance to be even more moved by the film version, just released here. It stars Virginia McKenna and Australian Peter Finch and at the prelude I'd never heard such a symphony of sobbing and nose-blowing.

LADY CYNTHIA ASQUITH, secretary and biographer of James Barrie, is getting ready a book on how tough it is to be the wife of a genius. She is going to detail the hard times of the marriage partners of Tolstoy, Carlyle, Lord Nelson, Gauguin, Heine, Shelley (his wife felt it necessary to drown herself) and others.

But there will be no mention of Dickens. "Mrs. Charles Dickens put up with an awful lot," says Lady Cynthia, "but I can't go into that in my book—too many Dickens descendants still around."

WEATHER SYNOPSIS

CITY'S WEATHER RECORD
Sunshine, 1956—265.6 hrs.
Last year—258.9 hrs.
Precip. to date—7.62 ins.
Last year—9.33 ins.

SYNOPSIS—A Pacific storm moved inland Wednesday night and skies for the most part were overcast with temperatures mild for the time of year. However, in the Kootenays the mercury hovered around the freezing point and a light snow fall occurred.

Another vigorous system has just moved east of the weather ship and will bring wind and rain for the north coast this

afternoon and for the south coast tonight. The passage of this storm through the interior will be marked by showers.

A cool westerly flow will ensue with some sunshine expected in coastal areas on Friday and late in the day in the interior.

The outlook for Saturday is still favorable but the situation is too unstable to promise fair weather for the entire weekend.

DOMINION PUBLIC WEATHER OFFICE
9 A.M. FORECASTS
(Valid until midnight Friday)

Victoria: Mostly cloudy today and Friday but with sunny intervals today and partial clearing Friday afternoon. Rain beginning this evening and ending Friday morning. A little cooler Friday. Winds westerly 15 to 20 tonight and westerly 20 on Friday. Low tonight and high Friday 41 and 46.

Vancouver - Georgia Strait: Mostly cloudy today and early Friday with partial clearing Friday afternoon. Rain beginning this evening and ending early Friday morning. A little cooler on Friday. Winds southeasterly 25 in the Georgia Strait tonight and westerly 20 on Friday afternoon otherwise light. Low tonight and high Friday at Vancouver 42 and 48; Nanaimo 38 and 48.

West Coast: Cloudy today and Friday with showers today, rain overnight and a few showers on Friday. Colder on Friday. Winds southwesterly 25 exposed areas overnight and northwesterly 25 on Friday. Winds otherwise light. Low tonight and high Friday at Estevan Point 40 and 46.

TEMPERATURES
YESTERDAY
Min. Max. Precip.
Victoria—42 49 .04
ONE YEAR AGO
Victoria—45 49 .19

ACROSS CANADA			
Halifax	21	34	--
Montreal	13	32	--
Ottawa	17	32	--
Toronto	30	34	13
Port Arthur	26	30	147
Winnipeg	24	28	38
Regina	1	20	02
Saskatoon	1	24	05
Lethbridge	21	29	--
Calgary	22	34	--
Edmonton	17	28	--
Kamloops	37	50	--
Penticton	36	49	--
Vancouver	42	44	99
Kimberley	32	42	04
Prince Rupert	38	44	48
Prince George	33	42	06
Fort St. John	25	32	01
Whitehorse	23	35	--
Portland	47	61	20
Chicago	33	54	01
San Francisco	43	69	--
Los Angeles	53	82	--
New York	35	45	--
N. Westminster	37	42	98

Sunrise, Sunset Friday

Sunrise—5:56 Sunset—18:42

Sunrise, Sunset Saturday

Sunrise—5:54 Sunset—18:43

TIDES AT VICTORIA

(Pacific Standard Time)

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Safety Group To Get Help From Eagles

Victoria's Fraternal Order of Eagles has lent support to the tottering Lower Vancouver Island Safety Council and the two groups will unite in a district-wide safe-driving campaign.

First public meeting aimed at enlisting other city organizations will be held at FOE home, 751 View, at 8 p.m. Thursday. The safety council formed at Colwood almost two years ago and counted among original members almost all drivers of district truck fleets.

Later the movement weakened when few city organizations showed interest in membership.

Support by the large city lodge which has fostered safe driving itself is expected to put new life into the council.

The public meeting will hear an address by Victoria traffic sergeant Brooke Douglass and films will be shown. Les Entwistle will make an appeal for assistance in launching the campaign from other district social groups.

EASTER AT AKLAVIK FOR GOVERNOR-GENERAL

TUKTOYAKTUK, N.W.T. (CP) — Governor-General Massey today gets a close-up view of this Arctic land of reindeer when he visits the herd of Jimmie Komiak.

Mr. Massey, past the midway mark in his 17-day tour of the Arctic, will travel by snowmobile to reach the reindeer herd near this Eskimo community of 300 on the famed Mackenzie River delta. He will spend the Easter weekend at Aklavik, attending Good Friday services at a Roman Catholic church and Sunday devotions at the Anglican cathedral, where he will read the lesson.

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1 slightly beaten egg
2 tbsps. milk

Mix onion, cucumber, bread crumbs and seasonings. Add egg and milk, toss lightly. Spread over cod fillets and roll up like jelly roll. Secure with tooth picks. Brush fillets with lemon juice and place in a greased pan. Bake in a 375° F oven for 40 minutes. Serves 4.

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ACROSS THE PROVINCE

\$2 Million Expansion For Kelowna Sawmill

From The Canadian Press
KELOWNA — A \$2,000,000 expansion program has been announced by S. M. Simpson Ltd., operators of the largest lumber mill in the interior.

The expansion program will provide work for 150 workers. It will include a new plant for the production of sheathing plywood and a plant which will manufacture particle board.

NEW ROAD DELAYED
HARRISON HOT SPRINGS — Highway Minister Gagliardi told Agassiz-Harrison Board of Trade Wednesday night that his department has met with "unforeseen difficulties" in construction of the North Shore road.

Mr. Gagliardi said before the road could go past Seabird Bluff to Ruby Creek, about 15 miles north of Agassiz, 3,200 feet of CPR track will have to be moved toward the Fraser River.

He said permission for the move has been asked of the CPR but so far no answer has been received.

OMISSION PROTESTED
Kamloops city council is going to petition the provincial government to have a representative from the interior on the centenary celebration committee. Ald. J. T. Hunter told council no interior representative was named to the committee and since the first trading centre in the province was in Kamloops in 1812 the city had a right to make the request.

HOSPITAL PAY TALKS
VANCOUVER — Several B.C. hospitals have signed new wage agreements with their non-medical staffs but negotiations with two hospitals have reached a stalemate.

William Black, business agent for the Hospital Employees Federal Union (TLC), said here Wednesday negotiations with the Royal Columbian Hospital in New Westminster have "completely bogged down" and a conciliation board will be called into the union's dispute in Trail.

A unique situation exists at Kimberley, said Black, where there is "nobody to bargain with."

The hospital board there resigned in a body recently in protest to the government's wage freeze policy.

Black said he would go to Vancouver Island next week to negotiate contracts for hospitals at Ladysmith, Duncan, Nanaimo and Port Alberni.

EX-TEACHER JAILED
VANCOUVER — Former school teacher Humphrey Porritt, 47, was sent to jail for a month Wednesday after pleading guilty to obtaining \$3 after presenting a worthless cheque of \$1,005 to a car salesman. The cheque was a deposit on a \$3,000 car. Three days later, Porritt was arrested while writing out another cheque in a gun shop.

UNION PACT READY
VANCOUVER — A formula for merging the city's two labor councils into a 100,000 member organization was completed here in a closed meeting by top officials of the Trades and La-

bor Council (TLC) and the Vancouver Labor Council (VLC).

Officials said Wednesday the plan will be submitted to both groups for approval April 3.

They indicated officers of both councils would form the new executive with the labor council, headed by president Lloyd Whalen, taking the lead. Under the system Tom Alsbury, president of the TLC, would become vice-president of the merged group.

First meeting of the merged council is set for May 1 or May 14. The merger will follow the general merger of Canada's two major labor groups set for early in April.

BINGO POPULAR
NEW WESTMINSTER — Queens Park arena was sold out Wednesday night for a \$7,000 bingo staged by the Kinsmen Club. More than \$6,000 tickets were sold.

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NEW YORK (AP) — Henry Krajewski, Secaucus, N.J., tavern owner and former pig farmer, has launched his campaign for president of the United States as candidate of the "American Third Party."

Krajewski said one of the planks in his platform is annexation of Canada. He said Britain should give Canada to the United States in return for unpaid war debts.

FREEDOM OVERPOWERS
NEW WESTMINSTER — Russell Moore, 41, Wednesday walked free after four years in the penitentiary here, then fainted — two blocks from the prison.

He was taken to the Royal Columbian Hospital for examination.

Tragic Fire Raises Ottawa Toll to 46

CASSELMAN, Ont. (CP) — Five of the six children of Mr. and Mrs. Alcide Quesnel died Wednesday night when fire destroyed their farm home near this village about 35 miles south-east of Ottawa.

Oldest of the victims was five. The youngest were five-month-old twins. The sixth child—a three-year-old boy—was with his mother at the nearby barn when the first broke out.

The father was away at the time.

Their death raises to 46 the fire-death toll in the Ottawa area since last Nov. 17. Thirty-one of the victims were children, 23 of them under five years of age.

HISTORIC TRIBE
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1 tablespoon melted Jewel shortening

Heat Jewel slowly in a deep, heavy saucepan to 360° F. Use enough to fill the saucepan 1/3 to 1/2 full when melted. While Jewel is heating, sift together dry ingredients and combine with lemon extract, egg and pineapple. Beat to form a smooth batter. Stir in 1 tablespoon melted Jewel. Now dip teaspoon into hot Jewel, then dip up a teaspoon of batter. Quickly immerse in hot Jewel and drop off the batter.

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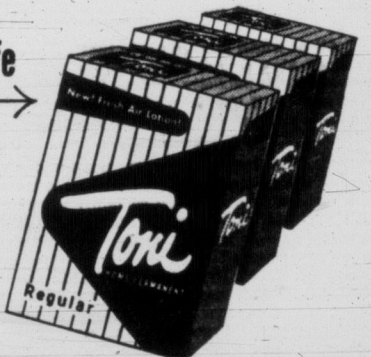
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James Burt, Veteran of Sealing Fleet, Passes Away in Saanich at 87 Years

Former member of the once-thriving Pacific sealing fleet, sailing out of Victoria, 87-year-old James Burt, 3079 Orillia, was buried Wednesday in the family plot at Colwood cemetery.

Mr. Burt died Monday in Victoria.

A Newfoundlander born in the tiny out-port of Rose Blanche, he helped operate an early mail delivery service, where without proper lines of communication it was necessary to walk or use dog sled on the overland trek.

He came across the continent to Victoria in 1892, joined the sealing fleet and sailed aboard the Angas MacDonald, Willie McGowan and Annie C. Moore.

A Russian gunboat seized his vessel and crew during one expedition, and Mr. Burt spent six months in a Siberian prison.

In the Alaska gold rush he helped string trolley lines for Skagway for Canadian Pacific Navigation Co. on the ships Danube, Tees and Amur.

Mr. Burt's wife, Christina, and a daughter Mrs. Thomas White, died in 1950.

TUG MAN

At one time he was a crew member of the tugboat Lorne, helped string trolley lines for B.C. Electric, worked about 20 years for Brackman-Ker Milling Co., and during the Second World War was employed by Island Tug and Barge Ltd. and Yarrow's Ltd.

Until his retirement in 1950 he was a watchman at B.C. Forest Products Ltd.

Two daughters, Mrs. Leonard Pearce and Mrs. Edward Dun-

Jordan Wants It Both Ways

AMMAN, Jordan (Reuters)—Jordan has told Egypt, Saudi Arabia and Syria she is prepared to accept aid from them provided it does not mean she must give up assistance she is already receiving from Britain. It was disclosed today.

The Jordan royal cabinet broke with tradition by publishing the texts of messages exchanged between King Hussein of Jordan and the leaders of the three other Arab countries, who offered to replace British aid and guaranteed their help for 10 years.

King Hussein said in reply that Jordan welcomed any Arab aid in addition to that from Britain. But he declared that the British subsidy was an obligation under the Anglo-Jordan Treaty and that Jordan had the full right to it.

The young king said he has invited all Arab heads of state to a meeting in Amman to discuss Arab problems and Israeli intentions.

Church Canvass Ends; Now Big Job Begins

Vic West Churches Will Try to Interest Non-Affiliated, Indifferent Residents

Six churches in Victoria West have completed an exhaustive joint canvass of 1,300 homes in the area but the big job was termed by the canvass chairman today as "just a preliminary."

R. L. McPhee said the churches must now follow up the survey. "We must reach those who are nominally adherents of one faith or another but are not attending church."

This will be done through an examination of the church program, through visitation, and through an endeavour to arouse the interest of parents whose children attend Sunday school but who do not attend church themselves.

Tentative plans are being laid for an inter-denominational open air service this summer in Banfield Park.

St. Saviour's Anglican Church has the greatest number of adherents in the area but average attendance is below United and Roman Catholic churches, findings of the survey disclosed.

The canvass was made last week by 52 voluntary workers from St. Saviour's, Victoria West United, St. Paul's Presbyterian, Queen of Peace Roman

very closely the census averages for the entire city. Church attendance figures are: Anglicans, 80 adults and 70 children; Nazarene, 25 adults and 63 children; Presbyterian, 35 adults and 30 children; Roman Catholic, 175 persons; United, 60 adults and 120 children.

NORTHERN STREAM
Slave River flows 258 miles from Lake Athabasca to Great Slave Lake in the Northwest Territories.

Labor Merger Formula
VANCOUVER (CP)—A formula for merging Vancouver's two labor councils into one 100,000-member organization was completed Tuesday. Top officials of Vancouver Trades and Labor Council (TLC) and Vancouver Labor Council (VLC) met behind closed doors to iron out final details of the plan.

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To Merge in New Company

CRANBROOK, B.C.—Development of a new, highly integrated forest industry in the East Kootenay district is forecast here following news that four sawmilling operations in this area are being merged in a new company—Crestbrook Timber Ltd.

The company, which is Canadian controlled, will be the largest producer of lumber in the B.C. interior, with an annual cut of approximately 50,000,000 board feet.

In addition it will have seven sawmills supplying rough lumber to these plants.

Closing Averages

Dow Jones closing averages:	
30 Industrials	111.76 up 1.51
20 rails	171.39 up 1.47
15 utilities	67.39 up 0.13
65 stocks	161.14 up 0.69
Shares to 3 p.m., 2,920,000.	

GRAIN

Winnipeg (CP)—Some irregularity in flux prices developed on the Winnipeg grain exchange today, the result of fairly liberal offerings from commission houses.	
However, early losses were reduced by later commercial demand.	
Oats and barley found domestic support. There were a few export orders for barley with reports of parcel-let sales to the United Kingdom. Prices showed hesitation, reflecting U.S. markets.	
Overnight wheat export loadings included 900,000 bushels to the U.K., 400,000 to Germany and 50,000 to The Netherlands.	
Lakehead prices for Nos. 1 and 2 northern on Class Two IWA and domestic wheat dropped one cent from Wednesday. Otherwise prices were unchanged.	
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CHICAGO (AP)—Firm prices

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
May	235 1/2	237 1/2	235 1/2	236 1/2
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TORONTO OILS

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Opemiska Jumps \$2

TORONTO—Opemiska again led copper on the Toronto Stock Exchange today with a \$2 jump to \$13.25.

Hoyle gained 45 cents and Wilroy 40. Among the senior mines Ventures added \$1.75.

Pacific Pete and Peace River posted \$1 advances in Western oils. Anglo-American moved up 87 cents, Canadian Atlantic 70 and Charter and Britisha each 25.

Papers were in strong demand while financial institutions and refining oils won fairly wide support.

VANCOUVER

VANCOUVER—Oils were active on the exchange with prices higher.

Britisha Pete sold 22,000 going to \$3.90. Van-Tof moved 33,500 with a low of 97, high \$1.05, last sale at noon \$1.

Basco traded 9,000 at 56. Canadian Atlantic sold 2,500 at between \$7.10 and \$7.75. Futurity traded 3,000 at 56. Peace River gas sold 1,700 at 10. Sparmax moved 6,000 at 36. Sankens Princess traded 21,500 between 68 and 72.

Bethlehem Copper moved 5,300 at \$1.22. Giant Mascot sold 3,000 at 91. Jackson Mining moved 3,000 at 40. Pacific Nickel sold 5,500 at 35. Premier Border moved 6,500 at 14. Sheep Creek sold 2,800 at \$1.90. Sunshine Lardeau traded 4,000 at 29. Inland Gas moved 2,600 between 4.10 and 4.25. B.C. Forest Products sold 900 at \$1.93. Lucky Lager sold 800 at \$4.93.

LONDON

LONDON (CP)—Immunity of the Easter holiday restricted business in London stock markets today, but the undertone was satisfactory.

Government issues responded to small investment demand and dominion and colonial issues held steady.

Stock exchanges—Babcock & Wilcox 7 1/2, Canadian Pacific 3 1/2, General Electric 5 1/2, Gt. Univ. Strs. 3 1/2, Hudson's Bay Co. 1 1/2, Imperial Chemical 4 1/2, 10 1/2, Metal Box 5 1/2, Mexican Eagle 2 1/2, Rand Mines 7 1/2, Rolls-Royce 9 1/2, Imperial Tobacco 5 1/2.

Bonds—British 2 1/2 Consols, 5 1/2, British 3 1/2, War Loans, 4 1/2, British Fundings, 4 1/2, 1960-90, 1 1/2.

NEW YORK

NEW YORK (AP)—The stock market drove ahead today with gathering strength, and prices were around their best in late afternoon.

Gains were extensive and ran from 1 to 3 points frequently and even beyond in some instances. Losses went to around 2 points.

Among Canadian stocks, Aluminum Ltd. gained 1 1/2. Distillers' Seagram 1/2, International Nickel 3/4, Canadian Pacific 1/2, Dome Mines 1/2, Granby Mining and Walker 1/2, Gooderham & McEntyre dropped 1/2, and Hudson Bay Mining eased 1/2.

MONTREAL

MONTREAL (CP)—Industrial scores gains ranging to two points in moderately active afternoon trading today on the Montreal and Canadian stock exchanges.

In the base metals, Aluminum advanced 1 1/2, International Nickel a point, Hudson Bay 1/2 and Noranda 1/2.

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U.S. Traders in B.C. Must Pay Taxes Here

By NORMAN CRIBBENS
Times Business Editor

Americans carrying on business in Canada are subject to income tax or their of the laws in their home states.

This principle was established in Ottawa today by the Canadian income tax appeal board in the case of Floyd E. Skelton of Idaho, who is partner in a dude ranch in the B.C. interior.

The board stressed Skelton's appeal against income tax assessment along with that of his partner, William Studdert of Idaho, on profits from the B.C. ranch.

Offering is being made by Nesbitt, Thomson and Company and Wood, Gundy and Company of an issue of \$40,000 Canadian Utilities Ltd. 4 1/2 per cent first mortgage sinking fund bonds, series E.

The bonds, which will mature April 1, 1981, are being offered at 98 and accrued interest to yield 4.25 per cent.

Small pulp mills are springing up in Europe as a result of short world supply and resultant high costs, says Peter Vokonas, assistant chief engineer of Sandwell & Company. The Vancouver-based organization is supplying the "know-how" for 50 tons per day bleached pulp mills in:

1. England, where the first chemical pulp mill in Britain using home-grown wood, will be built on the Severn River.
2. France, where a straw pulp mill on the outskirts of Paris is being converted to a kraft mill, using hardwoods and pine.
3. Austria, where the Sandwell Company is progressing with development studies preparatory to starting construction of a mill near Vienna.

Stock exchanges in Canada will get a four-day break this weekend. They will be closed both Good Friday and Easter Monday.

Winnipeg grain exchange will observe the Good Friday holiday but will open Easter Monday. Other Canadian commodity exchanges will be closed.

BASIS OF CLAIMS

Both cases were determined on the basis of claims put forward by Skelton. He was assessed \$7,000 in the taxation year 1949 and \$5,840 in 1951 on income from the ranch.

Skelton claimed that under the community property law of Idaho, his wife was half-owner of his share in the B.C. ranch. He argued that because of this he could be assessed only for half of the profits accruing to him.

The appeal board held that the assessment in no way infringed the right of Skelton's wife to her share in the property or income as may be allotted to her under Idaho law.

It held that both Skelton and Studdert must pay income tax on their profits in British Columbia.

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Common Excavation—558,126 cubic yards.
Sub-base course—149,950 tons.
Gravel base course—318,000 tons.
Plant-mix hot bituminous base course—45,830 tons.
Plant-mix hot bituminous surface course—45,830 tons.
Copies of plans, specifications and form of tender may be obtained at the office of the undersigned, such plans and specifications must be returned within fifteen days following the opening of the tenders.
A certified cheque in the sum of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000.00) made payable to the order of the Deputy Minister of Highways and Transportation is to accompany each tender.
Tenders will be opened in public in the office of the undersigned at the hour of 10:00 a.m. Mountain Standard Time on Wednesday, April 18, 1956.
The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.
L. T. HOLMES,
Deputy Minister Department of Highways and Transportation,
Regina, Saskatchewan,
March 29, 1956.

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Both the Rights and the Shares of The Royal Bank of Canada are traded on The Toronto Stock Exchange and the Montreal Stock Exchange. The Shares are currently quoted at about \$61.00 and the Rights at about \$4.90. Dividends are currently being paid on Royal Bank Shares at the rate of \$1.80 per Share per annum.

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Fair Employment Act 'Not Before Its Time'

Progress is being made in breaking down racial and color discrimination through education and legislation in Canada, A. J. Arnold, a director of the Canadian Council of Christians and Jews, told a

meeting Wednesday of the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. Arnold, editor and publisher of the Jewish Western Bulletin, Vancouver, said the Canadian Council, through its educational programs, is doing much to bring about a better understanding between various racial groups.

The Canadian Council, composed of people of various religious denominations, he explained, sought to promote tolerance and brotherhood between religious and racial groups in Canada.

"We believe that unity in Canada can only be achieved through uniformity," he said. "We believe in the principle of let live and brotherhood."

Mr. Arnold said he considered the Fair Employment Practices Act passed by the British Columbia Legislature this year as an important step in checking racial intolerance.

While you could not eradicate racial prejudices through legislation, Mr. Arnold said, legislation at least enabled society to prevent a person from infringing on the rights of a minority group.

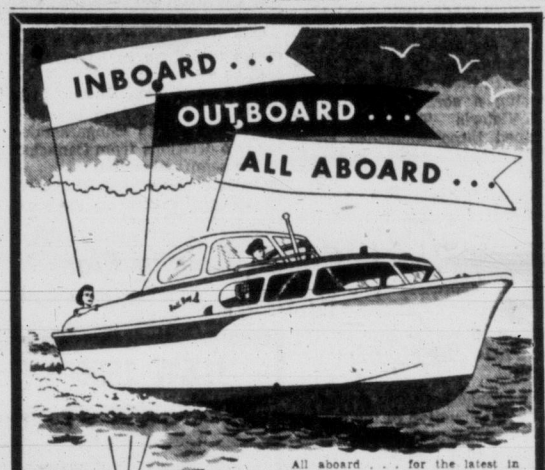
"I don't think the act is ahead of its time," said Mr. Arnold. "Various polls and surveys taken during the past few years show that the majority of the people of British Columbia favour the act."

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One of the most polished productions of the Victoria Theatre Guild's recent seasons is playing at the Langham Court Theatre. "The Gladiators' Smile" is expertly directed and staged with unusual effectiveness. It has a strong cast, one of the outstanding members being Connie Thompson, who plays one of the key figures in the tense mystery.

Government Blocks Probe Of Brewery Contributions

WINNIPEG (BUP) — The provincial government Wednesday blocked a move to have information disclosed on the embarrassing and potentially explosive issue of brewery contributions to political parties and individuals.

A bid by CCF leader Lloyd Stinson for immediate details of what could be corrupt practices was voted down, by a nine to five margin, to the bottom of the legislature's beer probe agenda. Stinson explained his move saying he believed for many years there was too close

Police Want Pay Hike for Double Duty

An Esquimalt police demand for 10 per cent wage hike to cover duties and risk performed while acting as firemen is detailed in the union brief submitted to police commission before negotiations folded Monday.

In addition, police want wage parity with Victoria city police. The dispute has gone to a conciliation officer for arbitration.

Esquimalt has 1.1 police-fireman for every 1,000 population, compared with 1.68 in Saanich, 2.5 in Oak Bay and 3.5 in Victoria, the brief said.

It denies a claim that naval fire apparatus attends most fires in the municipality, although in large fires their aid is requested. So far attended only by Esquimalt fire-fighters.

The brief requested a minimum of two firemen to attend all alarms.

Fire insurance rates in Esquimalt compare with the lowest rates set for Victoria, Oak Bay and parts of Saanich said the brief.

Federal Vote June 17 Next Year Predicted by General Pearkes

Maj. Gen. G. R. Pearkes, V.C., Progressive Conservative member for Esquimalt-Saanich, is predicting a federal election for June 17 next year.

General Pearkes has just arrived home from Ottawa for Easter holidays.

He reasoned that Easter next year, coming in late April, probably would be the time Parliament prorogues; June is the favored month for elections, and June 17 is a Monday in mid-June. Federal elections are held on Mondays.

The general predicted big tax cuts next spring "or further and further social services" because of the coming election.

He was critical of the fact the contract to operate the Distant Early Warning (DEW) line in the north was let for several years to a United States company.

"I don't like control being

placed in an American contractor's hands, especially in the north where Canada is trying to look after and protect its Eskimos."

He termed the contract "another case of Americans getting economic and political control of our country."

He said that the party split

which occurred between provincial Progressive Conservative party leader Deane Finlayson and the federal organization was now a thing of the past.

"I think Mr. Finlayson, judging by recent actions, has taken a much more realistic view of the partnership that must exist between the provincial and federal organizations," he said.

Victoria Daily Times
THURSDAY, MARCH 29, 1966

8.5 CHOICE

TORONTO (CP) — Canadian Champ, last year's top Canadian two-year-old racehorse, is quoted by bookmakers as 8 to 5 favorite in the \$25,000 Queen's Plate classic June 16, the Ontario Jockey Club said today.

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Totems Champs After 'Stubborn' Final

VANCOUVER (CP)—Canadian basketball history was made here several weeks Wednesday night when British Columbia Totems ran away to a 62-42 victory over Alberta Towne Hallers to become 1956 champions and Canada's Olympic entry.

It is the first time B.C. has won the right to represent this country in Olympic basketball. It was the first time an all-Canadian most valuable player was named and Totems' John McLeod won the award.

It was the first time a Canadian basketball championship was decided in a tournament of zone winners across the country.

And it was the first time that the Canadian Amateur Basketball Association rule book was challenged so strongly in a single game that it may be rewritten.

The challenge came in the first minute of the Olympic trials final game when Totems scored a field goal for two points, then froze the ball without a move from Alberta for more than 12 minutes.

More than 4,000 fans who jammed the University of B.C. gymnasium hooted, stomped

and jeered the teams until officials finally prevailed on the two coaches to resume play.

Then B.C. opened all its guns. So destructive was Totems' attack it crumbled the Alberta zone defence while their own man-to-man defence stifled the Towne Hallers' high scorers.

B.C. led 11-7 in the first quarter, swept to a 28-11 lead at half time and midway through the final frame had racked up a 21-point lead.

A desperate Alberta rally in the third quarter paid off to give Towne Hallers a five-point scoring edge. They were game and tenacious but badly outplayed.

Coach Maury van Vleet used all but one of his 12 Albertans in the second half while Totems' first string remained unsubstituted until the last three minutes.

On top of it all was McLeod, six-foot-six forward and top cager with the University of B.C. for a good many years. He engineered the victory, driving for a game-high total of 17 points.

His standout performances throughout the four-team double knockout series in which B.C. gained a 41 win-loss record won him the most valuable player award.

For Alberta, rangy centre

Ed Lucht strove desperately against heavy odds. Pickett stuck to him like a leech and kept the scoring star to 13 points. It was a similar case with Alberta's starry forward Don Macintosh, who was held to four free throws with Bisset on his back.

Officials took a dim view of the frozen ball tactics which they said came close to smearing an otherwise highly successful tournament.

Al Erwin of Montreal, secretary-treasurer of the Canadian Amateur Basketball Association, admitted there was no rule to compel a team in control of the ball to force the play, nor

was there any rule to force the defensive team out of its zone in a counter-attack.

He recommended a second look at the rule book and a study of a time limit on holding the ball.

Basil Sands, president of the B.C. Amateur Basketball Association, was not so charitable. He scored Van Vleet and Totems' coach Lane Hudson for "sheer stubbornness" and the "poorest display of sportsmanship."

"It just wasn't fair to the fans," said Sands. More than 16,000 attended the five-day series which began Friday with four Canadian zone champions.

It's Canucks And Cats

Olson Confident on Eve Of Western Puck Finals

Vancouver 5, New Westminster 1

It's Vancouver Canucks against Victoria Cougars in the western division Western Hockey League final series.

And that's okay with Cougar coach Eddie Olson.

"I think we've got their number," he said.

"We beat 'em when we had to in the semifinals, and if everyone gives 100 per cent like they did in that series, you'll see us in the league finals."

Canucks whipped New Westminster Royals, 5-1, Wednesday night for their only victory of the round-robin semifinal series.

But that single victory was good enough to give them second place over the Royals, who also won but one game.

Canucks outscored Royals in

the series, 12 goals to 7, which was the determining factor in the point tie between the clubs.

Royals' only triumph was a 4-3 win over Canucks last week.

Cougars won all four of their semifinal games. They defeated Westminster twice by a 3-1 score and Vancouver twice by 3-2 margins.

The final series, a best-of-seven affair, will open at Vancouver Friday night. Second game will be played in Victoria Saturday night.

Third game is scheduled for Vancouver, Tuesday, the fourth at Victoria, Friday, April 6, and the fifth if necessary, at Vancouver, Saturday, April 7.

Mikulan's Handy, Sore Hand and All

Canucks got to the Royals early at Vancouver last night.

They took a 4-0 lead in the first period and kept up a continuous attack on the Royal defence.

Royals made their most serious bid in the second period, but a sensational performance by Canuck goalie Ray Mikulan thwarted their efforts.

Mikulan, nursing a sore hand suffered in Victoria Tuesday night, stopped three wide-open shots and Royals never seriously threatened again.

Goalie Bev Bentley of Royals was under constant bombardment.

Check, Check, Check, Cougar Plan

Olson expressed confidence that Cougars, by virtue of their undefeated march through the semifinals, "have reached our peak."

He prophesied a rugged series and a continuation of the tactics that had seen Cougars check Canucks to a standstill particularly in the first semifinal game at Vancouver last week.

"We'll play it tight," said Olson. "Pelletier (Cougars' goalie) has been hot, and if he continues that way, and if we can give him the same protection we have been giving him, we should take the series."

"Canucks don't like it when they are checked; we proved that in the semifinals."

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IT'S MY VIEW BY Bill Walker

The news service carried the story.

Saturday morning threats were received by Gordie Howe and Ted Lindsay of Detroit Red Wings.

The callers said that if Lindsay and Howe played against Toronto Maple Leafs that night in the scheduled NHL semifinal Stanley Cup contest, they would be shot.

Toronto police stated that they would take extra precaution to insure that no one with a gun entered the Gardens.

Police patrolled the street in front of the rink, were stationed at the entrances, in the lobby, and in the runway from the ice surface to the Wings' dressing room as protection for the Detroit stars.

But all to no avail.

For there was at least one man in the audience of 13,366 who had a gun in his possession.

A man who, if he wished, could have shot both Detroit players.

Inconspicuous?—Not Likely!

This individual carried the gun in a regulation shot-gun case slung over his shoulder outside his topeeat.

He walked within three feet of a policeman in the lobby, but the cop didn't notice the gun.

His only really anxious moment came when a passer-by spotted the case and said to his companion:

"There's someone going to shoot Gordie Howe." His companion just laughed.

It wasn't that the person who carried the gun might have been regarded as inconspicuous.

He stood 6' 4" and weighed 215 pounds. He wore dark glasses and had his hat pulled down over his eyes.

When he took his seat he sat with the gun between his legs during the first period and then put it under the seat for the rest of the game.

The person sitting next to him was a member of parliament. The person sitting directly in front of him was Ontario's Minister of Health. Neither mentioned the gun if they noticed it.

Lindsay the Better Target

And so this person — if he so wished — could have shot anyone, particularly Howe and Lindsay.

More particularly Lindsay that night perhaps as it was Lindsay who scored the tying and winning goal against Leafs in Detroit's 5-4 overtime victory.

But he didn't. He didn't even unsheathe the gun.

Sure it was a gag. A gag by the Toronto Star and reporter Jim Hunt.

And actually Hunt's wife refused to sit with him when she was informed of the nature of the ruse. Hunt's companion almost backed out of the deal, too. But not the wily Jim.

Maybe they'll teach those police they're not the smarties they think they are — outsmarted as they were by a reporter.

Of course, this story has nothing to do with the fact that I got a parking ticket yesterday.

Not much it hasn't.

Well, Chief!

Mixed Holiday 'Spiel

Attracts 38 Entries

The skips and their back-seat

skips take over Victoria Curling Club Friday for Victoria's

first Mixed Bonspiel.

A total of 38 rinks has entered the event, each rink consisting of two men and two women with a male skip. They will be three events with each rink playing at least three matches.

First draw will be played at 2 Friday afternoon with draws following every two hours.

RCN 'Spiel

Results

The RCN Pacific Command's

first annual bonspiel got under way Wednesday with 29 rinks

battling for prizes in three events.

Rear Admiral H. F. Puffen-

OB, CD RCN, officially

opened the 'spiel at 10:30 Wednesday morning.

BIRKS TROPHY

Ward 10, Pilon 6,

Adams 12, Fraser 3,

Young 1, Fraser 3,

Brown 12, Routh 8,

Royson 2, Alkinson 5,

Bryan 11, Delage 6,

Roberts 12, Chambers 4,

Gray 12, Harrison 3,

Redlin 4, Rolin 6,

Lovis 13, Sanders 5,

Fee 10, Robb 5,

Howard 10, Reid 4,

Watts 7, Poole 4,

Kelly 14, Paterson 4,

Adams 18, Ward 3,

Young 10, Brown 3,

Royson 8, Bryan 8,

Gray 18, Roberts 5,

Lovis 9, Redlin 4,

Howard 9, Fee 3,

Shannon 13, Watts 7,

Adams 18, Ward 3,

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Leafs Hope To Repeat Cup History

By The Canadian Press

Detroit Red Wings have Toronto Maple Leafs backed to the wall, but Wings want to borrow some Leaf tactics to wrap up their Stanley Cup semifinal tonight.

Leading 3-1 in the best-of-seven series, the Detroiters figure a little pressure in the right place will send them into the showdown championship final against Montreal Canadiens.

Detroit coach Jimmy Skinner believes a sure way to get the fourth and deciding win is to score the first goal when the two teams meet tonight at the Olympia.

PRESSURE ON TORONTO

He said Wednesday after he brought Wings home from a 2-0 defeat in Toronto:

"For eight games now, including the playoffs, we've lagged behind and let the other guys get that first goal when it counted most. We were able to come back most of the time, three times against these fellows. But the pressure is on Toronto, more than on us. If we can get that first score, the pressure will be even greater and I'm sure we can go on from there."

Skinner saved some optimism just in case Leafs send the series into a sixth or seventh game.

"We feel that it's just a matter of time," he said.

Wings' failure to sweep the set in four games cost them at least two days' rest before the expected final series against Montreal. The Canadiens got the job done against New York Rangers in five games, winding it up Tuesday night with a 7-0 shutout.

Skinner said:

"We might have been a little ahead of ourselves in Toronto — looking past the series at hand and into the next round. But not now. We have to win this one and we know it. And if we win it, and we're hot, we'll be ready for whatever follows."

Toronto supporters were still talking hopefully of the 1942 series in which the Leafs won the cup after dropping their first three games.

L. C. Morgan

Scores Upset

CLEVELAND (AP)—Un-

ranked L. C. Morgan of Youngs-

town, Ohio, floored Ludwig

Lightburn with a hard right

cross in the first round and

went on to win an upset and

unanimous decision over the

British Honduras fighter in a

lively 10-rounder at the Cleve-

land Arena Wednesday night.

Outweighed by a pound, L. C.

Morgan, 136, made his powerful

right a threat throughout the

almost-epoch battle.

In the ninth, Lightburn landed

a clean right-cross that dropped

the Ohioan, but Morgan came

up and drove across the ring

uncorking a strong offensive

flurry.

HOCKEY SCORES

MEMORIAL CUP

Rosina 2, Pilon 5

Mayor Backs Vancouver As Site for Olympics

VANCOUVER (CP) — This Pacific coast city is aiming for the biggest sports spectacle of all—the Olympics.

Mayor Fred Hume, a strong backer of the British Empire Games in 1954 and the Grey Cup in 1955, recently went on record as being fully behind the Vancouver Sun proposal to hold the 1964 summer Olympics here.

No city in Canada has ever played host to the Olympics.

"Whatever the cost, it would be worth it to Vancouver in publicity alone," the mayor said.

The rapidly-growing movement has gained support from the Vancouver Trades and Labor Council (TLC), the provincial government and various individual labor groups.

This city, the mayor said, is the logical site for a Canadian Olympic bid.

"Vancouver has more to offer than any other city in Canada," he said.

Sydney Dawes, president of the Canadian Olympic Committee, said recently either Toronto or Vancouver would be able to hold the 1964 Olympics, but said Vancouver could win the games "if the citizens really got after them."

The 1960 summer Olympics have been awarded to Rome. The summer games this year will be held in Melbourne, Australia.

"From what I know of the Olympics, they are not much different from the B.E.G., only bigger," Mayor Hume said.

"The Olympics are the greatest thing in the world, publicity gained for Vancouver would be that much bigger. If any city in Canada can handle the Olympics, Vancouver can. We are not going to wait behind anybody."

Vancouver citizens, polled by the Sun following Mayor Hume's statement, were almost unanimous in agreeing the city "should really go after" the games.

Only one man didn't think the idea was too sound. He suggested the Olympics be held in Toronto.

Champs Enter Good Friday Four-Ball

Daryl Anderson and Fred Morten will be defending their low net championship in the Good Friday Four-Ball Best Ball Tournament at Uplands Golf Club Friday.

Bob Fleming and John Meriman will defend the low gross title.

Play will be on a handicap basis with three-quarters of the low handicap being allowed.

Draw follows:

- 9:00—H. Young and J. Wintermute vs. C. Little and J. Roaf.
- 9:15—J. Purinton and E. Holystok vs. C. Abbott and P. Seltzer.
- 9:30—V. Lee and W. Loney vs. H. Doherty and O. Jull.
- 9:45—P. Jeffery and P. Francis vs. L. Hiberson and C. Hammett.
- 10:00—G. Pellow and C. Heggie vs. P. Bergey and R. Morrison.
- 10:15—W. McCall and G. Bigelow vs. H. Donaldson and D. Panthorpe.
- 10:30—K. Lawson and A. Reade vs. V. Painter and J. Robertson.
- 10:45—L. Kerr and G. Andrews vs. E. Hiberson and R. Hunt.
- 11:00—P. Mettler and D. Anderson vs. T. O. Harris and H. V. Robertson.
- 11:15—J. McCall and M. Carlow vs. B. Swaven and H. C. MacKenzie.
- 11:30—R. Wakelin and M. Barikow vs. D. Daniel and W. Waleham.
- 11:45—R. Craven and N. Neely vs. G. Linchay and P. Finlay.
- 12:00—D. Fairclough and M. O. O. vs. H. McWhorter and W. Stewart.
- 12:15—A. McEwen and J. Brewster vs. J. Shibley and J. Clyde.
- 12:30—Battersby's line.
- 12:45—R. Fleming and J. Meriman vs. J. Carlow and N. Boden.
- 1:00—T. Heisterman and W. Christie vs. J. Harper and A. N. Other.
- 1:15—T. James and D. Brown vs. M. Olsen and A. Glenday.
- 1:30—H. MacDonell and H. Maloney vs. P. C. Gill and G. Goodwin.
- 1:45—A. Gillies and D. Allman vs. L. Chan and W. Coates.
- 2:00—C. J. Robertson and B. Porritt vs. V. Daniel and J. Haller.
- 2:15—G. Brian and R. Elliott vs. R. A. Phillips and J. Chilver.

Battle Royal On Mat Card

A huge 6½-footer from Tennessee will add spice to tonight's Vancouver boxing card at Victoria Ballroom.

A late acquisition to the card, Nashville's Negro headliner, Bearcat Wright, will take part in the six-man "battle royal" that serves as the opening bout.

Following the six-man scrap, battlers will be paired in the order they were defeated, making three additional bouts.

Other fighters on the card are Adrian Ballenger, Ken Kenneth, Leo Numa, Don King and Reg Parkes.

First bout starts at 8:30.

RANGERS DRAW
GLASGOW (Reuters)—Glasgow Rangers, Scottish League Division A leaders, drew 3-3 with the Yugoslavian side, Dynamo, in a soccer match played here Wednesday night under lights. Dynamo led 2-1 at half-time.

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ROOFERS SET CITY FIVEPIN BOWLING MARK

C. A. Smith Roofers, of the men's Commercial League, cranked out a new all-time city fivepin record Wednesday night at Gibson's Bowladrome.

Their three-game team total of 3,888 was 12 pins better than the old record of 3,876 set by All-Stars.

The roofing team had games of 1,353, 1,156 and 1,379 for their record total.

Anchorman Bill Cool, in addition to getting an 846 triple, spared his 10th frame to make up the winning points.

Other members of the team were Reg Waggoner, Harry Cool, Gordie Smith and Howie Butler.

Jackson Cup Soccer Commences Saturday

Eleven local soccer teams will start the dogfight for the Jackson Cup this weekend.

The competition, between 10 teams in the Victoria and District Football Association's first and second divisions and Victoria Strathconas, formerly of the Coast Soccer League, opens this weekend with eight of the teams seeing action.

On Saturday, Brodie's Bakery and Esquimalt tangle at Athletic Park and City Merchants meet Heaneys at Heywood Avenue in first round action and Vic West taking on Dutch Wanderers at lower Beacon Hill Park.

The other matches, on Sunday, have Canadian Scottish meet Heaneys at Heywood Avenue in first round action and Vic West taking on Dutch Wanderers at lower Beacon Hill in a second round match.

All weekend games start at 2. Draw for the first and second rounds and the semi-finals follows.

FIRST ROUND
1—Brodie's Bakery vs. Esquimalt.
2—City Merchants vs. Queen's Own Rifles.
3—Canadian Scottish vs. Heaneys.
SECOND ROUND
4—Victoria West vs. Dutch Wanderers.
5—Butlers vs. winner of game 3.
6—Victoria Strathconas vs. Tillicums.
7—Winner of game 2 vs. winner of game 1.

SEMI-FINALS
Winner of game 5 vs. winner of game 4.
Winner of game 6 vs. winner of game 7.
Time—14:30.

Aberdeen's Tour Schedule Released
WINNIPEG (CP)—The Football Association of Canada has confirmed that Aberdeen, Scottish League soccer champions in 1955 and Scottish League Cup winners this year, will tour Canada during May and June.

The team will arrive in Montreal May 25. During the tour, games will be played against Everton, First Division English League team, in New York, Vancouver and Toronto.

Following is the Aberdeen club's schedule: New York, May 27, against Everton; Montreal, May 29, against Quebec All-Stars; Toronto, June 2, against Ontario All-Stars; Winnipeg, June 5, Manitoba All-Stars; Regina, June 7, Saskatchewan All-Stars; Vancouver, June 9, Everton; Edmonton, June 13, Alberta All-Stars; Toronto, June 16, Everton.

Rainiers Nip Mounties

SAN BERNARDINO, Calif. (AP)—Seattle broke up a close baseball game with a three-run spurge in the sixth inning Wednesday to defeat the Vancouver Mounties in a Pacific Coast League practice game.

Vancouver 6, Seattle 3.
Seattle: 601, 609, 600—1, 3, 5.
Seattle: 100, 203, 000—4, 9, 3.
Drummond, Evans (7), Amaya (8) and Neal, Lombardi, Hackett (10) and Robertson.

Jones Still Hospitalized

CLEARWATER, Fla. (AP)—Third baseman Willie Jones of Philadelphia Phillies will be kept in a hospital indefinitely for observation of a head injury caused by a pitched ball.

Jones was beamed by pitcher Don Newcombe of Brooklyn Dodgers in an exhibition game Tuesday. No fracture was detected in X-rays.

U.K. RUGBY

LONDON (Reuters)—Wednesday's Rugby Union results: Bristol vs. Clifton 1-0. Maesteg vs. Cross Keys 8-0 (tie).

AUSTIN CURLING CHAMP

In a thrilling 14-ender, longest game on Victoria Curling Club ice this season, AUSTIN's Rick defeated Doc Leach and his quartet, 10-9, Tuesday to win the Civil Service League championship.

Leach tied the game up on the 12th end of the final, the 13th was blanked, and Austin counted in the 14th to win the game.

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RACE RESULTS

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First Race—
Daylight Baby (Ma Ats) \$22.30 \$4.10 \$3.80
Sir Bill (London) — 2.70 2.40
Time—1:12 3-5
Also: Mito Diablo, Postman, Sea Breeze, Shady Jim, Video Airline, Boudier, Solano's Son, Golden Rush, March 1st.

Second Race—
Pastness (Nevs) — 4.80 \$4.80 \$3.00
Consented (Harmas) — 38.80 13.70
Tiram (Palido) — 8.00
Time—1:12 4-5

Also: Front 'N Center, Larks Fly, Tedan, Pal's Hope, Running Bird, No. 7 Bomba, Melwood Boy, Tiram, Melito Boots.

Daily Double paid \$162.30.
Third Race—
Ricket's Call (Powell) \$182.30 \$42.30 \$15.30
See America (Nevs) — 3.80 2.90
Rougold (Mase) — 4.30
Time—1:12 3-5

Also: Homet Valley, Lighthouse, Bob, Flashing Chic, Solid Choice, Jacpot, Cove, Pity, Daddy, No. 7.

Fourth Race—
Risky Shady (London) \$3.90 \$3.00 \$2.70
Miss Bulldog (Lewis) — 3.30 2.30
Pink Pill (Tangichu) — 2.50
Time—1:12 3-5

Also: Wild Dance, Ab's Girl, Alex's Girl.

Fifth Race—
Show Me First (Valencia) — \$11.00 \$5.70 \$3.70
Top-Dill (Lewis) — 3.60 2.70
First Down (London) — 2.80
Time—1:12 3-5

Also: Mami Sweep, Eau de Lavande, Third Down, No Remarks, Marcell, Valley, Chilly.

Sixth Race—
Top Man (Lewis) \$31.80 \$15.80 \$8.10
Hagansh (London) — 13.20 7.20
Coke (Ma) Out (Eric) — 3.30
Time—1:44 3-5

Also: Little Tomato, Top Performer, Matinee Idol, Cobble's Bench, Se Voya, Merryman.

Seventh Race—
Waiting Game (Lewis) \$7.00 \$3.80 \$2.90
Rouke (Treas) — 13.00 9.50
First Charge (Nevs) — 5.90
Time—1:11

Also: Boy Lark, Bayou Boy, Port Union, Rekindled, Tobynne, Red Ran, Cran Vno, Smart Apple.

Eighth Race—
Pole (Giles) \$13.90 \$8.40 \$5.00
Leonardo (Mase) — 17.20 9.00
Hookahy (Richardson) — 3.30
Time—1:44

Also: Shannon Sound, Native Skies, Clear Day, Ironback, Handaway, Flower Song, Dealer, Barbara Brown, Rockin'.

TO JOIN MOUNTIES

SCOTTSDALE, Arizona (AP)—Right-handed pitcher Charlie Locke, who had an 18-13 record last year, has been optioned to Vancouver of the Pacific Coast League on 24-hour notice.

Baltimore manager Paul Richards said at the Orioles' training camp here Wednesday.

'WENT INTO THE TANK'

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Immigration department officials said Wednesday Robeson will be admitted as a non-immigrant visitor, but only for the purpose of "engaging in his artistic pursuits."

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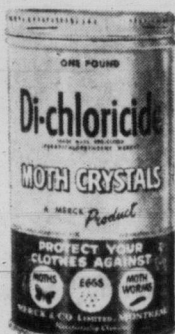
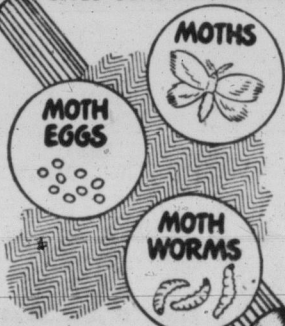


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Calgary Nurse Film Author

LONDON (CP)—The Feminine Touch, a British film adapted from a book by Canadian author Sheila Mackay Russell, has been released by Ealing Studios.

Miss Russell, born in Calgary, now lives in Edmonton. She graduated in nursing from the Calgary General Hospital.

GREAT JURIST

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The following table of classifications has been prepared by the Victoria and District Parent-Teacher Council. Victoria theatre managers have co-operated and it covers the current films at local theatres. These assessments are based mainly on reports in Parents' Magazine (U.S.) and the Monthly Bulletin of the British Film Institute.

Title	Children (8-12 Years)	Youth (13-16 Years)
Anything Goes	Mature	Good
Blazing Forest	Good	Good
Conquest of Cochise	Brutal	Good
Constant Husband	Not likely to frighten or disturb	Not likely to frighten or disturb
Court Martial of Billy Mitchell	Mature	Excellent
Divided Heart	Mature	Excellent
Desert Song	Good	Good
Doctor in the House	Mature	Good
Gypsy Colt	Excellent	Good
Heaven of Troy	Excellent	Good
Little Kidnappers	Excellent	Good
Little Quiver	Mature but enjoyable	Good
Mr. Hulot's Holiday	Excellent	Excellent
Passage Home	Good	Excellent
Quest for the Lost City	Mature but informative	Excellent
Quiet Man	Mature	Excellent
Rains of Ranchipur	Mature	Excellent
Red Sundown	Mature	Good of kind
Rhapsody	No	Excellent
Romeo and Juliet	Excellent	Excellent
Rose Tattoo	No	No
Sadie Fasting	No	Enjoyable
Stars Look Down	No	Mature for many
Tall Men Riding	No	Pair
Touch and Go	Not likely to frighten or disturb	Not likely to frighten or disturb
You Lucky People	Poor	Poor

COOPER PUTS HIS FINGER ON IT

'Cleavage Control' Can't Hide Lollobrigida Facts

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—An angry charge of Gina Lollobrigida that local censors retouched photos of her curves, making her look "like Gary Cooper," won her a compliment Wednesday from the star of western films.

Georges Married

PARIS (AP)—Former world light heavyweight champion Georges Carpentier, the "Orchid Man" who fought Jack Dempsey in the first \$1,000,000 fight, announced Wednesday he was married last month.

Carpentier, 62, but still trim and fit, took as his bride fashion maven Brigitte Maxis, a pretty blonde about half his age. The marriage was performed in Paris Feb. 23.

FAIRLY CLOSE

The planet Mars will be only 35,000,000 miles away from Earth in September, 1956, nearest in 32 years.

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'Swing and Sway' Sammy Kaye Defends Rock-and-Roll Music

NEW YORK (UP)—Band leader Sammy Kaye of "swing and sway" fame denounced a Connecticut psychiatrist today for calling rock-and-roll music a "communicable disease." Kaye made public a letter of protest which he mailed to Dr. Francis J. Braceland of the Institute of Living in Hartford. Braceland was quoted as blast-

ing rock and roll after a disturbance in a Hartford theatre led to the arrest of 11 teenagers last weekend. The psychiatrist's statement said teenagers' "insecurity and rebellion" caused them to wear zoot suits and ducktail haircuts. "It seems to me from your comment that you regard any person who enjoys listening or dancing to rock and roll on much the same plane as you would regard a gangster," Kaye's letter said. "You most certainly have a low opinion of millions of nice, well-behaved teenagers. Before issuing such a statement you should have done more research into the problem, if indeed there is a problem."

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Austrian Princess to Wed

VIENNA (AP)—An Austrian prince, son of a mechanic, and the confirmed Wednesday night his betrothal to Princess Stefanie of Windisch-Graetz, a great-granddaughter of the late Emperor Franz Joseph of Austria, Aosef, Christoforetti, 36, de-

MONACO LOADED WITH TITLES

Princess, Duchess, Marquise Countess—Grace Can Choose

EDITOR'S NOTE: Rainier's country may be small, but his list of titles is long. When he marries Grace Kelly next month he will make her twice a princess, four times a duchess, eight times a countess, and 10 times a marquise. They are all here in this third of four stories on the doings at Monaco.

By CYNTHIA LOWRY
Associated Press Staff Writer
When Rainier III weds Grace Kelly, she will become the wife of the sovereign prince of Monaco. Not only that, she will fall heir to the feminine versions of more than a score of other titles.

For Rainier is also the Prince of Chateau Porcin; the Duke of Valentinois, Duke of Estouteville, Duke of Mazarin, Duke of Mayence; Marquis of Baux, Marquis of Cilly; the Count of Carladeg, of Torgni, of Ferrette, of Belfort.

of Thann, of Rosemont, of Long-Jumeau, and of Guiscard; the Baron of Saint-Low, of Buis, of the Luthumiere, of Altkirch, and of Massy; the Seigneur of Saint Remy and of Isenheim; and the Sire of Matignon.

The double ceremony, a civil marriage in the throne room on April 18 and the Roman Catholic rites and nuptial mass the next day, is required by law separating the functions of church and state.

Together they will make her Serene Highness Gracia Patricia one of the most titled women in Europe: twice a princess, four times a duchess, twice a marquise, eight times a countess, five times a baroness.

It is slightly paradoxical that Rainier, one of the few remaining monarchs with a throne, should reign over the smallest state in the world.

It is also curious that, with a vast assortment of names to choose among, his serene highness signed up as "Mr. C. Monte," for his recent plane trip from Hollywood to New York. He laughed it off as a prank to newspaper men who soon found out that Mr. C. (for Carlo) Monte was in fact the world's most publicized bridegroom.

Although he has a penchant for such pranks, Rainier Louis Henri Maxence Bertrand Grimaldi measures up pretty well to the average man's idea of a good boy. He's an automobile bug and likes to fool around with motors. On at least two occasions the prince has scared the wits out of Monaco's 21,000 residents by wrapping himself and automobile around trees.

Apparently he had a somewhat lonely and rootless childhood. The Grimaldis, as a dynasty, are noted for their shrewdly political marriages. Many of them, however, wound up in annulment and divorce.

His grandfather, Louis II, whom he succeeded to the throne in 1949, was a gay blade who didn't marry until he was 75, when he took as his bride a 46-year-old actress. But earlier he had a daughter by a woman named Louvet. When the daughter was 21, Louis made her Princess Charlotte, Duchess of Valentinois, and she married Count Pierre de Polignac who—following Monaco's royal custom—adopted the Grimaldi name.

The couple had two children, Antoine, three years Rainier's senior, and the prince. They later were divorced. Both Antoine, now divorced from a Monaco tennis professional, and her mother renounced their rights to the succession.

STUDIED GOVERNMENT
Rainier, born in Monaco May 31, 1923, spent his early childhood in his grandfather's palace atop the ancient rock of the Grimaldis overlooking the Mediterranean and at his father's chateau in France. At 11 he was packed off to a boys' school, Summerfield, in Sussex, England, and then went on to Stowe.

He later went to schools in Lausanne, Switzerland, and Montpellier, France, topping off his formal education with studies in government in the School of Political Sciences in Paris.

The young prince served with France's 2nd Army Corps in Alsace during the closing days of the Second World War, entering as a second lieutenant and emerging a captain.

Physically, he is on the short side—five feet six—half inch shorter than his bride-to-be and a bit on the chubby side. He, like his ancestors from Genoa, loves the sea and ships. One of his hobbies is the popular Riviera sport of skin diving, and his 125-foot yacht, Juvantes II, is equipped with four aquariums for the collection of specimens.

ENJOYS MUSIC
On the cultural side, Rainier enjoys music ranging from opera to pop and himself plays a little trumpet and guitar. He is also a movie fan—apparently of all pictures except those starring Miss Kelly. He's only seen one of her films—an old one called "Green Fires."

The prince likes to work with his hands. In addition to tinkering with his nine cars, he's an amateur photographer and occasionally paints an oil seascape.

Close to the Grimaldi palace is his private zoo. The creatures include a pet chimpanzee, a lion, a python, antelopes—and a white elephant from Viet Nam's ex-ruler, Bao Dai. He frequently walks into the lion's cage, it is said, to feed and pet the animal. He also has five or six dogs, ranging from a German shepherd and Doberman to a Pekinese and a mongrel.

The personal fortune of Rainier is reputed to be large, and in addition he is said to receive an annual stipend of close to \$300,000 a year from Monaco. Much of

this must go toward the upkeep of his various establishments—including his favorite home, a 12-room villa, "Iberia," at nearby St. Jean-Cap-Ferrat, in the centre of a large, heavily shrubbed and wooded park. He also maintains a Paris flat.

LATE FAME
Until it was known that Monacans were worried about the bachelor status of their ruler—France will annex the little state if Rainier should die without an heir—little was heard of the young prince. At one point he was rumored to be interested in a daughter of the Count of Paris, pretender to the French throne, and again in the daughter of Italy's deposed king, Umberto.

At one occasion, he murmured that, "if I had all the mistresses people say I'd be a regular Casanova."

For many years he was seen constantly with a pretty Paris actress, Gisele Pascal. The relationship came to an end, significantly apparently, after Rev. J. Francis Tucker was assigned to Monaco some five years ago. Father Tucker, an American, in addition to being the prince's own chaplain, is his good friend and is credited in some quarters with playing cupid in the Kelly alliance.

The prince's trip to the United States last December, ostensibly for treatment for a sinus condition, was widely heralded as a wife-hunting expedition. Rainier himself

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did little to discourage the report. Quoted in Paris was his description of the woman he sought as a wife:
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Tofino Legionnaires Given Life Buttons

TOFINO—Life membership pins. A 25-year pin was given to Rev. J. Leighton, rector of St. Columba's, who were awarded this week to D. M. McKenzie, Harold Monks and Harold Sloman.

"Because He Rose"

Easter's Message of Hope
The subject of his wife's best-selling book, "A Man Called Peter," Peter Marshall was one of the great preachers of recent years.

April Reader's Digest brings you this beloved chaplain's interpretation of Easter's message of hope... in a condensation from one of his most stirring sermons, "Because He Rose." Get your April Reader's Digest today! 32 articles of lasting interest, including the best from leading magazines, current books, condensed to save your time.

Walter Williams, Optsat Reserve, was sentenced in police court here to six months at hard labor for common assault.

Joseph Hayes, also a reserve resident and victim of an attack by Williams, lost an eye in the fracas.

Williams will serve an additional six months on a charge of supplying liquor to Indians. It will be served concurrently with the other term.

SILVER POCKET

Silver Island in Lake Superior, 22 miles from Port Arthur, yielded \$3,000,000 in silver between 1870 and 1885.

Island Digest

Victoria Daily Times THURSDAY, MARCH 29, 1956 15

Town Planning Drive Outlined by Murison

Protection of Investments, Quiet of Home Assured, Says Reeve of North Cowichan

CHEMAINUS—A full report on municipal zoning and its relation to town planning was given to Chemainus and District Chamber of Commerce by Reeve C. A. P. Murison of North Cowichan Municipality.

The municipality has done little in the way of town planning to date.

"We do have something in mind for Crofton, but it is still in the elementary stage," he said.

Purpose of the new zoning by-law was to build a municipality "in which residents can enjoy the quiet of their homes and protection of their investments." The by-law was designed to create favorable conditions for commerce and industry, provide maximum services at minimum cost, and give the municipality an opportunity to plan public works with foresight.

Whether town planning persisted as far as the municipality was concerned "depends upon public opinion," Reeve Murison said.

"An organization such as yours has an inescapable responsibility in this regard, to work for a better community."

CONTROL NEEDED
Zoning and town planning are not the whole story, he said, since the municipality can not exercise full control over these unless it has control of subdivisions.

"That's why we brought in a subdivision by-law at the same time as we passed our zoning by-law," he said.

In addition, the municipality is preparing a building by-law embodying principles of the National Building Code, and studying a sanitation by-law.

"These are the corner stones on which we are trying to build a better municipality," the reeve said.

Commenting further on the zoning by-law, Reeve Murison said: "We have tried to build a shoe to fit the municipality."

Now we are trying to fit that shoe. We realize that one or two corners will develop, and that's why we plan to review the by-law in six months' time.

CHEMAINUS—Plans were announced today for a six-week civil defence course to be held in Chemainus.



REEVE C. A. P. MURISON

Instructors from civil defence headquarters in Victoria will supervise the course, to be held twice weekly on Monday and Friday, starting April 13. Officials hope to hold the classes at the junior high school.

CHEMAINUS—A. E. Beasley has been re-elected chairman of Chemainus Theatre Ltd., and Jack Halme was appointed secretary-treasurer.

Directors are A. E. P. Stubbs, Mrs. D. McBride, William White, J. Liptak, H. Heslop and J. Gammie.

Theatre showings will continue Wednesday through Saturday with matinees Saturday afternoons.

Baumgart Herd Takes Honors In Milk Test

DUNCAN—The annual report of the Cowichan Dairy Herd Improvement Association showed 587 cows were tested during the past year, an increase of 77 over the previous year, and 343 over 1953.

High herd average went to Albert Baumgart, Cowichan Station, with 1,302 pounds of milk and 507 pounds of butterfat. Runner-up was Timothy Trosdell, Crofton, with 10,520 pounds of milk and 448 pounds of fat. Trevor Bazett, Maple Bay, was third with 9,170 pounds of milk and 445 pounds of fat.

Average production of the 23 herds on test was 8,610 pounds of milk and 374 pounds of fat, a decrease from last year of 431 pounds of milk and 21 pounds of fat.

Mr. Baumgart's herd also won top honors for having the highest individual cow and highest two-year-old. Records were compiled by D. R. O'Brien, inspector.

Vancouver Man Gets Nanaimo Telephone Post

NANAIMO—G. D. Stewart, Vancouver, has been promoted to the post of district traffic chief here for the B.C. Telephone Co., and will begin work April 1.

He replaces James Asselstine, who was promoted to the post of district traffic chief and commercial supervisor in Kamloops.

Mr. Stewart joined Canadian (B.C.) Telephones and Supplies Ltd., in 1946, and in 1947 was transferred to the B.C. Telephone commercial department. From 1949 to 1954 he was commercial application supervisor, and since that time has been staff assistant to the general traffic manager.

Broadcasters Elect Nanaimo Radioman

NANAIMO—C. J. Rudd, manager of radio station CHUB here, was elected in Toronto Wednesday as a director of the Canadian Association of Radio and Television Broadcasters.

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DUNCAN ROUNDUP

New Strike Reported By Copper Firm

DUNCAN—A further copper strike has been made by the underground drilling crew of Cowichan Copper Company.

Honeymoon Bay, during the week, according to an announcement by O. G. MacDonald, president of the company.

The drillers encountered 52 feet of ore averaging 3.74 per cent copper. The vein was found on the 1,100-foot level.

The Moose Lodge here will join in this year's national Moose "operation Easter car-lift" by placing 10 automobiles and drivers at the disposal of those who desire a ride to church on Easter Sunday.

Gordon Braithwaite, civic affairs committee chairman of the lodge, reports that his committee has contacted every clergyman in the area to ascertain how many persons will require this free transportation.

The Victoria firm of Dickinson and Dunn, dealer in tires and motor car accessories, has bought property in Duncan on the Trans-Canada Highway at Robertson Street.

"We have faith in the district," said T. Dickinson, "and as we are already doing business here it seems only natural to go one step farther and become resident taxpayers."

The Cowichan junior horse show here Saturday has drawn an entry of 40 horses and about 50 young riders.

C. C. Carpenter of Victoria will judge the junior show, and will also lead a team of Victoria riders in the hunter trials in the agricultural grounds here Easter Monday. Other entries include three teams from the Cowichan branch of the Pony Club.

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(Morning Positions)
Victoria (Ogden Point)—La pampa, Jakarta, Kenyo Maru, Chemainus—Suva.
Nanaimo—Mattawunga, Tahsis—Spruce Woods, Alberni—Vedby, Lakemba, Igor.

Basketball Tag Day Brings in \$475

LADYSMITH—Sum of \$475 was raised through a tag day in Lady Smith, Chemainus and Saltair to send Lady Smith High School basketball champions to the interior of B.C. for the provincial finals.

The juvenile title will be contested April 6 and 7 at either Vernon or Summerland.

Inkster Chairman Of Nanaimo Board

Peter Inkster was re-elected chairman of Nanaimo General Hospital board at the annual meeting of the board Wednesday night, attended by 150 persons.

Directors elected were: William Love, for a term of three years; M. Cochrane and M. Scurr, two years, and Dr. H. Eakin and Ross Cashman, one year.

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Re-check your copy of the Greater Victoria Town Crier. It has 6 pages of exciting news about the Bay's Easter Value Event.

Value-packed merchandise for Easter... smart new clothes for the whole family, home and garden supplies for dad... all at SAVINGS!

Shop Saturday until 5.30 at the BAY... get everything you need for the Happiest Easter Ever! Smart new clothing for yourself, dress-ups for the children, a smart suit for Dad! Buy now at SAVINGS! Now that school is out, bring the kiddies down to the BAY Saturday where excitement galore has been planned for their pleasure... it's fun for the whole family when they shop together at the BAY. Take home your share of the outstanding bargains during the BAY's Easter Value Event!

Shop early by PHONE! Order Board opens 8.30 a.m.

Dial 5-1311, ask for the Order Board and our experienced personal shoppers will quickly, efficiently fill your order, it's that simple, just dial 5-1311.

Easter Silver Star Budget Account lets you shop for the whole family!

NO DOWN PAYMENT, no interest, or carrying charges, pay 1/2 April, 1/2 May, 1/2 June! You can outfit the whole family for Easter, buy for your home and garden, take advantage of sale price savings! Open your Easter Silver Star Budget Account in ANY department... fast, confidential service!

Shop all day Saturday, 9 a.m. to 5.30 p.m., for all your Easter needs. The Bay will be closed all day Friday in observance of Good Friday.

Sale! "ALASKA BLACK DIAMONDS"—They're NEW and EXCITING! Dozens of styles, at special low prices for Easter!

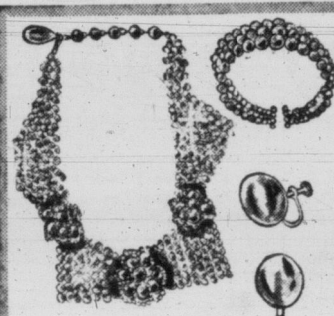
- Every Hematite gem in a beautiful plush presentation case!
- Buy individual pieces or in sets for Easter gifts!

Alaska Hematite, with the elegance of "black diamonds," an exciting new adornment for your lady fair! Beautifully polished, exquisitely cut, and set in sterling or rhodium plate... choose earrings, pendants, necklaces or rings... an Easter gift to truly thrill. Also available in 1/20 of 12 Karat gold filled! Glistening stones, in beautiful settings, you'll realize are worth far more than the special low prices at the BAY!

Illustrated actual size

Left: Necklace 19.49, Earrings 9.49, Ring 6.49 — Right: Necklace 5.99, Earrings 4.49, Ring 7.49

Rings, **4.99 to 15.49**
Earrings, **4.99 to 7.99**
Pendants or necklaces **5.99 to 24.49**



From New York, Pink Pearls Lustrous glamor for spring!

Literally dozens of styles in the specially imported selection of Pink Pearls. Soft, lustrous gleaming Petal Pink, you'll wear for Easter, Spring and Summer. Color that richly flatters your every outfit. Choose 1, 2, 3, strand necklaces and chokers, earrings, gay and different, collars, and bibs... simulated pearls with vivid gleaming pink tones. **\$1**

Special, each HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY, Jewellery main



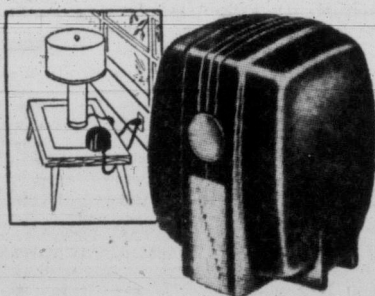
For Dad! Rugged, handsome water-thin waterproof watch!

21-jewel Swiss shockproof works, in yellow metal case with serviceable leather strap. Sweep second hand, luminous dial... an attractive watch that Dad will love and find so useful. **25**

Chrome case style at 24.99. Yours for only \$5 down!

Hudson's Bay Company, watches, main

It's NEW—It's at the BAY!



Nitelighter automatic light switch turns lights on at dusk—off at dawn!

- Never come home to darkness!
- Easy to use—completely safe!
- Protects your home while you're away!

This new photo-electronic light switch turns lights on and off according to the approach of darkness or daylight. Ideal for the sick room with a small bedside light, for starting plants indoors, perfect for dock lights and summer camps. Protect your home from prowlers during your vacation... it is fully automatic in use, economical too. Sturdy Bakelite case, approx. 4 1/2" high is attractive. One full year guarantee. **2.50**

See it at the BAY! Get your automatic nightlighter today! Each **21**

Hudson's Bay Company, hardware, lower main



Whisper Stretch-ons fit superbly, seams stay straight!

Smooth Whisper nylon Stretch-ons over your lovely legs, feel their good fit, see how lovely they look... you'll enjoy these stretch nylons by Whisper, for they relieve your legs from garter strain... they bend, they stretch, they move with you... give you much longer wear in every pair. Today's fashion colors will flatter every ensemble... choose Talisman—a pink beige, or Angel's Breath, a soft golden beige. Fittings A, B, C, fit sizes 8 1/2 to 12. **1.75**

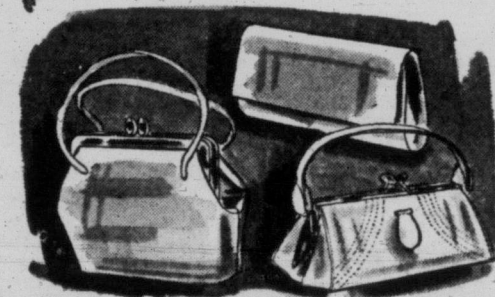
Pair Hudson's Bay Company, hosiery, main

- SHOP IN PERSON!
- SHOP BY PHONE!
- SHOP BY MAIL!

Washable plastic handbags! Economy and beauty for spring

Easy to carry, attractive satchel and tubes add a gay note to Easter wardrobes. Choose blue, green, white, brown, red or black. Each bag has interior fittings. Smart style at budget **\$1**

Special, each Hudson's Bay Company, handbags, main



White dress shirts for junior, are styled just like Dad's

1.95



Fine cotton broadcloth dress shirts are styled to take your young lad proudly through Easter dress-up, feeling confident, and with a pridelful feeling of self assurance. Fused attached collar... just like Dad's... long sleeves cuffed... just like Dad's. Easy to wash, and iron... keeps its shape. Collar sizes 11 to 14 1/2.

Others priced **2.50 and 2.95**

Your lad will look smart...

Be comfy in full cut nylon-blend dress slacks. Smart new fabrics, in blue, brown, grey, tan and navy. Full cut with pleats and zipper closing. The growing boy will feel well dressed for Easter and on into summer. **3.99**

Sizes 6 to 16. Special, pair

Boys' smart slacks for Easter

Handsome full cut nylon-blend dress slacks. Smart new just right for a casual dress-up jacket. Splash weave nylon Gabardine, with self collar, zipper front, slash pockets, is so comfy, he'll want to wear it everywhere. Elastic at waist keeps fit neat. Fully lined for comfort. **5.99**

Sizes 6 to 18, in blue, grey, or tan. Special, each

Clip-on bow ties add sparkle...

Make a young lad conscious of smart appearance. Easy to attach... look smart with white shirts. So inexpensively priced your lad can have several in the wide assortment of colors and patterns **69¢**

Hudson's Bay Company, boys' wear, main

Turn Page For More BAY Values

In Victoria's it's the HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY, with street and lot parking for 1200 shoppers' cars!

For the Kiddies Saturday at the BAY

ONE Goldfish FREE
to every child accompanied by a parent. Children accompanied by parents pay only 10¢ for one fish! Sporting goods, 3rd floor

See the Chick and Bunny Display
on the 3rd floor. Watch these tiny little Easter pets have fun! See them Saturday at the BAY, 3rd floor.

ONE Free PONY-RIDE
to every child accompanied by a parent. Children accompanied by a parent pay only 10¢ for a pony ride. Tickets available in the Boys' wear main, children's wear 3rd floor, Saturday only!

FREE MOVIES
starting Saturday at 10 a.m. in the Bay's Douglas Room, 3rd floor. Every morning through your Easter holidays come down to the BAY's Douglas Room for FREE movies at 10 a.m.!

FREE Rides
on the Horse, Moon Rocket and Merry-go-round! It's fun time for all kids at the BAY, Saturday!



TOPS IN VICTORIA COLLEGE SPORTS, these students won "Big Block" awards at banquet at Crystal Garden Wednesday. Special award of \$150 scholarship was also received by Ina Corbett, front row, third

from right, for all-round proficiency. Boys from left, are: George Laundry, Dick Pomeroy, Dave Edgar, Merlen Hawes, George McCreadie, Mike Partridge, Gary Fletcher, Phil Willis, Doug Patterson and Bud Rutherford.

Girls, from left, are: Donna Burridge, Joan Sutherland, Nan Baxter, Ruth Orton, Hilary Hale, Ina Corbett and Pat Jones. Pomeroy was winner of "Young Citizen" award at Vic High last year.

AWARDS MADE AT VICTORIA COLLEGE

Ina Won't Take Back Seat To Gary in Corbett Studies

Second-year Victoria College student Ina Corbett won't take a back seat to her brother Gary. Gary won a \$400 scholarship this week, so Ina carried off a \$150 bursary Wednesday night.

The pair, Gary 20 and Ina 18, are the son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Corbett, 1180 Oliver.

Gary's award was for qualities of character and leadership as well as scholastic ability. Ina's for outstanding contribution to school life as well as high academic standing.

Gary is an underdog at UBC, entered as top high school graduate in the province and has been a consistent scholarship winner since. It was Ina's first scholarship win.

Ina was also awarded a letter as a "Big Block" winner at Victoria College award banquet Wednesday night at Crystal Garden. The letters were awarded to students outstanding in sports.

Two students tied for honors in greatest contribution to sports and sportsmanship. Donna Burridge and Robert "Bud" Rutherford will share the Martlet Trophy this year.

All awards were made by faculty members.

Seventeen students were "Big Block" winners and eight were presented with activity pins for outstanding contribution to college extra-curricular activities in various campus clubs and organizations.



OUTSTANDING CONTRIBUTION to Victoria College extra-curricular activities was rewarded at Crystal Garden banquet Wednesday by presentation of pins to above students. From left, back

row, are: Russ Gurney, Robert Genn, John Sparks, Ken Moffatt and "Court" Haddock. Front row, from left, Gael Stott, Marjorie Gilbert and Harlene Christensen.

MONTE SICK

The column Between Times does not appear today because of the sickness of writer Monte Roberts.

EASTER GIFT-GIVING SHOWS STEADY CLIMB

More people are giving each other gifts this Easter, particularly children.

Victoria stores report a brisk demand not only for chocolate eggs and bunnies and the usual Easter bonnets, but also for pocket Bibles, nylon shirts, ties and handkerchiefs intended as Easter gifts.

The sale of Easter cards is substantially higher than last year.

A quick survey of downtown business suggests that Victorians are buying 5 per cent more merchandise than they were last Easter. This is a surprise to many merchants who feared that the early Easter would retard trade.

Clothing and gardening equipment are in brisk demand this week and auto dealers report that sales are picking up after a mild slump.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES

Victoria's annual summertime pageant, the tri-service sunset ceremonial on Parliament lawn, will go into the first stage of 1956 organization in a meeting tonight in Bay Street Armoury.

Representatives of the three services, Chamber of Commerce, city of Victoria and other interested parties will meet with co-ordinator Maj. F. D. H. Nelson, of 25 Militia Group headquarters in 5th Coast Harbor Defence Battery Officers' mess at 8 p.m.

In city police court today Derrick Ian Bodell, 521 Cornford, was fined \$35 or five days in jail when convicted on a careless driving charge.

Police said the accused was involved in a slight accident March 9 as he attempted to overtake and pass another car on a Fairfield Road near Memorial Crescent.

An arbitration board hearing of wage dispute between the city of Victoria and the Firemen's Union opened in the council chamber at City Hall this morning.

It was still in session well after noon.

Victoria locals of laborers' and bricklayers' unions and Victoria Building Industries Exchange have signed two-year agreements providing three cents an hour wage hike this year and five cents next year. Effective date is April 1, when laborers' basic rate will be \$1.68 an hour; bricklayers' \$2.38 an hour. Employers agreed to the union request for 4 per cent of annual wages for holiday pay, also effective April 1. The exchange bargains for 25 to 30 Victoria building contractors.

A six or seven-hour exhibition marathon by Victoria's swimming club Ben Laughren, is tentatively set for Sunday along the Dallas Road waterfront.

Planning to be one of the Juno de Fuca Strait trollers this summer, Big Ben, coached by cocktail lounge waiter Ove Witt, has been dipping in and out of Oak Bay since Christmas to condition himself for the summer. The exhibition swim is set to start at 10 a.m. from Oak Bay boathouse ending in the Inner Harbor.

Nick Heller, Victoria, was fined \$20 and \$3.50 costs or five days in jail when he appeared in city police court today, charged with exceeding a 30-mph speed limit March 17 on Gorge Road.

Police said he was paced at 65 mph.

Marigold Social Credit group monthly meeting took place Wednesday night at the home of Mrs. E. Plater, 994 Tulip Avenue. Saanich speaker was Carl Fallas and the topic, "Recruiting for Social Credit."

Charges of consuming liquor in the Liberty Cafe on Tuesday brought fines of \$50 or 30 days in jail each for Paul Joseph Poirier, HMCS Ontario, and Peter Eric Perkins, HMCS Venture, when they appeared in city police court today.

Both pleaded guilty to the charges.

Dr. Lockyer received post-graduate training at the Royal Cancer Clinic and was engaged as radiotherapist at Exeter Hospital before his appointment here. During his trip he also visited cancer treatment centres at Montreal, Winnipeg and Saskatoon.

Walter Bates, Gordon Head barracks, was fined \$25 or five days in jail when he pleaded guilty in city police court today to a charge of failing to have a motor vehicle licence on March 5.

The Victoria Public Library will be closed Good Friday and Easter Monday.

Pt. Ellice Vote Passage Seen in Vic West Pledge

By PETE LOUDON

A solid block of 700 "yes" votes for the new Point Ellice Bridge plebiscite, pledged by Victoria West Community Association president, Charles Banfield, will assure passage of the long-awaited vote.

This is the feeling in civic circles today after Mr. Banfield said the vote block is a sure thing because Vic West residents fear another Point Ellice Bridge catastrophe.

Mr. Banfield made the statement after Mayor Percy Scurrell addressed a community hall meeting Wednesday night on the bridge vote.

The association's president's prediction is fairly strongly substantiated by a study of city hall records.

The last time Victoria voted between elections only 2,097 votes were cast.

Allowing for even a 50-50 split vote by the rest of Victoria, the determination of Vic West is almost certain to give the pro-bridge faction the necessary three-fifths majority.

The people say the old bridge has devaluated their homes and delayed expansion of their community. Even industry steers clear of the industrial reserve.

"The people of Vic West are scared of the bridge. Most choose to walk rather than cross it in a vehicle. Others ride on buses which cross Johnson Street bridge," said Mr. Banfield.

He said a truck driver who drove a 17-ton truck across the span recently said: "I'll never go over it again."

The bridge shook so much it made him nervous, said Mr. Banfield.

In another case a woman resident was walking across the bridge when two buses were coming one way and four trucks the other.

"She said the vibration was terrible."

But the biggest factor in favor of a "yes" vote is the memory of the original span's collapse.

HE WAS THERE

Charles Banfield was there on the May holiday in 1896 when a streetcar filled with celebrating families plunged from the bridge to the harbor bottom.

"If the people who will vote next Thursday had seen that they wouldn't harp about the cost of the bridge," he said.

"I was about 17; I got to the bridge about 10 minutes later and helped pull the people from the water."

"I worked for three hours... some we could revive... some we couldn't."

DEAD CHILDREN

He said he remembers the 55 dead being wrapped in blankets, "little dead children among them."

"We stacked them like cordwood on flat-bed carriages and carted them off to the market building laid out one atop the other. People came from all over town looking at the corpses—looking for relatives. It was the most pathetic sight I ever saw in my life."

The present bridge was erected in 1903. Within 10 years, the people of Victoria heard the new bridge condemned as unsafe for the meagre traffic of that day.

The 1896 collapse, aside from the loss in life, cost taxpayers \$550,000 in litigation.

Why pay it twice, asks Mr. Banfield.

ESQUIMALT NAVAL SHIP MOVEMENTS

HMC ships *Crescent*, *Cayuga*, *Jonquire*, *New Glasgow* and *St. Therese* in St. Thomas, Virgin Islands, area on exercises.

HMC ships *Comox*, *James Bay* and *Fortune* on exercises, returning April 6.

HMCS *Ontario* and HMCS *Sioux* depart Esquimalt 10 a.m. Friday for Caribbean cruise.

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Damages Sought From 2 Unions

Builder Files Action After Work Stoppage

A civil action for damages against two Victoria trade unions was filed in Supreme Court registry today by George Wheaton Ltd., contractor, as a result of a work stoppage Wednesday at a CPR wharf.

Crash Victim Poor in 11th Day of Coma

Hospital authorities this morning reported the condition of accident victim Doreen Sanders, 4, 236 Cadillac, as poor.

The child has been unconscious since receiving head injuries when in collision with a car 11 days ago in front of Centennial United Church on Gorge Road.

Young Girl Injured When Car Crashes

A 14-year-old Saanich girl who suffered a fractured right shoulder in an accident near Gorge and Harriet was one of four persons injured in overnight traffic accidents.

Joseline Murray, 14, 4776 Davida, was reported in satisfactory condition at Royal Jubilee Hospital today. She also received arm and leg abrasions.

Saanich police said the girl was a passenger in a car which went out of control on Gorge near Harriet, spun around and collided with a power pole in front of San Sebastian Auto Court.

The 1951-model car was being driven in a direction out from Victoria by William McPherson, 1825 Fairfield.

A second passenger, Arthur Roberts, 19, 997 Dunsmuir, suffered abrasions.

Two men injured in a bus crash at Menzies and Superior shortly after 11 p.m. were in good condition at St. Joseph's Hospital.

Louis Carey, 60, 3238 Shelley, suffered head lacerations and Harold Holt, 58, 330 Beckley, facial lacerations, when the car in which they were riding collided with a bus and then careened about 60 feet onto a boulevard at 494 Superior.

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The job was still idle this morning.

The law suit followed an interim injunction to return the men to the job, taken out by George Gregory, lawyer for the contractor.

Mr. Justice A. M. Macfarlane granted the injunction and gave defendants two days to show reason why it should not be granted.

Named in the suit and injunction were D. S. Bushell business agent for pile drivers, and James Moffat, agent for the carpenters. Three other carpenters are named in the suit, but no damages are claimed from them.

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Soldier Wins Acquittal In Rape Trial

'You're Lucky,' Court Tells Him

Private Gerard Joseph Green, Queen's Own Rifles of Canada, Gordon Head, was acquitted on a rape charge Wednesday following a three-day trial in Criminal Assize Court here.

"I think you are very lucky," Mr. Justice H. W. McInnes told the 21-year-old army batman after an all-male jury found Green "not guilty" of raping a 17-year-old high school girl in her Hillside Avenue home on Sept. 11, 1955.

The jury deliberated for five and one-half hours before reaching a verdict.

Mr. Justice McInnes suggested to the short, dark-haired soldier that he be "very careful in future relations with women."

"AM I FREE?"

The soldier, pale and showing signs of strain, walked out of the courtroom followed by his lawyer, Alan Macfarlane.

"Am I free?" he asked Mr. Macfarlane.

"You certainly are, my lad," replied the lawyer.

The jury retired to consider a verdict at 3:45 in the afternoon. At 8:55 p.m. it requested from Mr. Justice McInnes further directions on "reasonable doubt and corroboration," and retired again for deliberations. A verdict was reached at 9:15 p.m.

Green's defence was that he had sexual relations with the teenage girl but with her consent. He claimed she invited him into her home.

Crown prosecutor Lloyd McKenzie claimed Green's story that the girl invited him into her home was "pure invention."

Crown evidence was that Green knocked at the girl's home and asked permission to telephone his barracks for transportation. The girl admitted him into her home, thinking that two Royal Canadian Mounted Police who boarded at the house were in their rooms.

Green, the Crown alleged, assaulted the girl twice and threatened to kill her if she did not stop screaming.

Meanwhile, police are searching for Maxwell Cyril Biggar, a Gordon Head soldier, who failed to appear as a Crown witness at Green's trial.

Mr. McKenzie said contempt proceedings will be taken against the soldier when arrested.

Mrs. Mackintosh, Pioneer Resident, Dies Here at 96

A resident of Victoria since 1889 and widow of a pioneer city merchant, Mrs. Rebecca Mackintosh, died at her home, 822 Linden, Thursday, aged 96.

Funeral will be held Monday at 1:30 p.m. from Hayward's chapel.

Born in Bognar, Gray County, Ontario, she was a daughter of county pioneer Robert Frizzell and granddaughter of war of 1812 veteran James Howey.

Her husband, William, was an early merchant in Victoria.

Among survivors are one daughter, Miss Margaret Edna, at home; three sons, William, John and Gordon, all of Victoria; six grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

ASK The TIMES

Q. What is the history of the Thunderbird? Was there such a bird?—D.P.V.

A. The history of the Thunderbird could be found by research in the countless legends of the Kwakiutl Indians of the Pacific Coast. It was a mythical creature in their totemic lore.

Q. How far do colored persons outnumber the whites in the southern states where there has recently been racial trouble, such as Mississippi and Alabama?—E.R.

A. Most recent officials for the two states in question are contained in the U.S. census of 1950. Whites in Alabama totaled 1,079,591 and non-whites 982,152. In Mississippi the figures were white, 990,282 and non-whites, 1,188,632.



EASTER CANDY DANDY WITH TOTS

Proud parents ground out yards of home movie film this morning to capture scenes of egg-hunting tiny tots in the second annual Jiminy Crickets Kindergarten Easter egg hunt. Hundreds of eggs were hidden under trees, bushes and behind rocks and when the children were turned loose, "it was like Grand Central Station," Mrs. J. Pettersen said. Michael Briggs, three (left), Bemie McNeely, five, and James Scott, four, found plenty.

INCOME TAX TIPS—CERTAIN CONDITIONS

Alimony Payments Allowable Deductions

By GORDON HOLMES
Member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants

Alimony payments are an allowable deduction under the Income Tax Act providing they meet certain conditions.

These conditions are that the amounts paid as alimony must be paid pursuant to a decree, order or judgment for divorce or separation, or pursuant to a written separation agreement.

These amounts must be paid on a periodic basis for the maintenance of the wife, children of the marriage or both. Another condition is that the recipient is living apart from her former husband.

The husband may deduct these alimony payments from his gross income for tax purposes. However, the exemptions enjoyed as married man and father will no longer apply unless of course the taxpayer has remarried.

Where a husband has deserted his family and the wife has obtained a court order requiring him to make periodic payments, such payments are not rightly alimony for income tax purposes.

Alimony payments are investment income in the hands of the recipient and are subject to the 4 per cent investment surtax should the alimony plus other investment income exceed \$2,400.

In the year of divorce or separation it is probable that in some part of the tax year the marriage was under one roof. In this event the taxpayer has the alternative of claiming married status, or of deducting alimony and taking single status.

As far as the Income Tax Act is concerned the common law wife has no status.

Saturday: Pay Tax Before Appeal.

SHOPPING GUIDE

This New Italian Pottery Looks Like Grained Wood

By PENNY SAVER

Italian charm and simplicity teamed with expert craftsmanship make the interesting serving dishes on sale in a downtown store. When you first see this pottery, you think that it is of a grained wood, but on closer look, you realize it's a cleverly tinted glaze. On a brown background is a black thinly sketched pattern, touched with light blue. There are all sizes of plates, bowls and vases, some like fish, others sectioned squares, and jugs shaped like graceful birds. The prices range from 69 cents for a flower pot to \$13.95 for a large pattern. The design is adaptable to the modern home or the older home, and will be admired by everyone.

Completely different is a display of Japanese vases nearby. Squat or tall ones are all tinted and painted in the delightful and intriguing Oriental tones. Gently swaying branches are portrayed, and bright plumed birds, too. Depending on the size you need, they cost from \$1.75 to \$6.75.

Bunny dishes are a happy memory of childhood days. Aunts, cousins and friends are usually the ones who buy these gay dishes for the youngsters, so, if there are wee tads in the family and you can't think of an Easter surprise for them, come look at these dishes. Your problems will be solved.

In the design there's an Uncle Wiggly tripping about with the bunnies — playing, reading, dancing and in all sorts of playful poses to please the children. Cups and saucers are \$1 each.

Men! April Fool Her With a No-Cook Dinner

Men are always up to tricks! Here's one to play on the little woman . . . and she'll love it.

Treat mother to an April Fool treat . . . by serving a complete meal that the men of the house have cooked . . . all by themselves. What a pleasure it will be for the queen of your house! After cooking meals 365 days a year, she'll appreciate a break from the pot and pan routine!

The man of the house who has never cooked need not fear this project. A quick trip to the store and a search through the grocer's freezer will show you a wealth of heat and serve foods.

This menu features products with built-in convenience you can buy.

MOTHER'S TREAT

Ready-Prepared Turkey Dinners
V-8 Juice Aspic Salad
Apple Pie and Cheese
Coffee

Entree—These individual frozen dinners can be ready to eat after 25 minutes in a 450-degree F. oven. That's all the time it takes to thaw and heat them through. Rip off the foil that covers the dinner and you'll find big slices of turkey over moist dressing . . . covered with meaty turkey gravy. Buttered peas and sweet potatoes are in each side compartment of the aluminum dinner tray. Dessert—Latch on to some of those ready-made apple pies that come frozen. Bake to brown. Just for fun melt some chocolate over hot water. Droll it over top of pie to write "April Fool."

CREAM DRIED BEEF, NUTRITIONALLY TOPS

Dried beef, creamed with bright green peas and new potatoes is just bound to be more nutritious than when it stands alone. This is one way to turn one-fourth pound beef into a dinner worth sitting down to! Pour hot water over 4 ounces, thinly sliced, dried beef to remove excess salt. Drain and shred. Brown beef and 1/2 cup chopped onion in 2 tablespoons butter or margarine. Stir in 1 can (14 cups) condensed cream of celery soup and 1/2 cup milk. Mix in 1/2 cup unsalted cooked green peas, drained. Heat; pour over 1 pound new potatoes, cooked in unsalted water. Four generous servings.

COOK CHICKEN WITHOUT THAWING

The new fast way to cook frozen chicken is to place the frozen chicken right in the frying pan . . . without thawing; then apply heat. Here is the recipe: Place contents of 1 package (1-pound size) frozen chicken thighs, breasts, drumsticks or wings in skillet with 2 tablespoons butter or margarine, melted. Sprinkle with 1/2 teaspoon salt. Cover tightly and cook over low heat about 30 minutes. Turn chicken; cover and continue to cook for 30 minutes more until chicken



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OF PERSONAL INTEREST

Miss Nona Smith Honored

A yellow and mauve gift box held miscellaneous gifts for bride-elect, Miss Nona Smith, at a shower held in her honor recently by Mrs. Donald A. Smith, 1584 Clive Drive. Corsages were presented to the guest of honor and the groom-elect's mother, Mrs. Bert Zala. Invited guests were Mrs. J. Jewkes, Mrs. G. Ruck, Mrs. Jim Hilling, Mrs. Stan McKay, Mrs. Fred Henry, Mrs. A. J. Walker, Mrs. Dick Hill, Mrs. Bob Scott, Mrs. Harry Turner, Mrs. David Dumbleton, Mrs. Walter Bolton, Mrs. Bert Williamson, Mrs. Victor Zala, Mrs. George Thackery, Mrs. George Taylor, Mrs. S. J. Smith, Misses Phyllis McKay and Lynne Smith.

Surprise Linen Shower

Mrs. J. Vestergaard and Mrs. Bob Whalen entertained at the home of the latter, 1800 Chandler street, to honor bride-elect, Miss Joan Hamilton, with a surprise linen shower. A corsage of carnations was presented to the guest of honor and her gifts were arranged in an imitation cedar chest. Invited guests were Mrs. M. Hamilton, mother of the bride-elect; Mrs. M. G. Crocker, mother of the groom-elect; Mrs. Ian Hamilton, grandmother of the bride-elect; Mrs. Ray Crocker, Mrs. Ron Benn, Mrs. F. Mitchell, Mrs. R. Hussey, Mrs. F. Hamilton, Mrs. P. Hamilton, Mrs. R. Hamilton, Mrs. R. Castle, Mrs. A. Hamilton, Mrs. W. Logan, Mrs. E. Harris, and Misses Joan Butler, Marlene Mitchell, Loretta Mitchell, Loretta Hussey, Dorothy Hamilton and Eleanor Hamilton.

Gifts in School House

Mrs. D. Quaitie was hostess at 1311 Lyall street Wednesday evening at a miscellaneous shower to honor Miss Barbara Clark. A red and white school house in compliment to the groom-elect, Mr. Reg. Lott, who is a teacher, held the gifts. Master George Sears presented the gifts. Miss Clark's corsage was of red roses, while her mother, Mrs. R. Sears, and grandmother, Mrs. Mary Wallace, received candy pink carnations. Others present were Mrs. J. Verschuer, Mrs. S. Fisher, Mrs. M. Edwards, Mrs. F. Mitchell, Mrs. E. Bursey, Mrs. J. Boyd, Mrs. F. Goddard, Mrs. E. Parham, Mrs. B. Davies, Misses June Fisher, Shirley Williams and Gwen Leaver.

At Home for Travelers

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brooks, of Duncan, formerly of Victoria, leave Victoria April 5 for New York, from where, on April 11, they will sail on the Queen Mary for a six-month trip abroad. Sunday, they will be at home to friends from 2 to 5 p.m. at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Cooke, 941 Claremont road, Seaview Heights, Cordova Bay.

Easter Motif at Shower

Miss Elaine Thomas was honored guest at a miscellaneous shower recently at the home of Mrs. Don Wilkie, Newport avenue. A large Easter bunny was attached by ribbons to a gift umbrella. A corsage of yellow roses with a mauve bow was presented to Miss Thomas, while her mother, Mrs. E. Thomas, and the groom-elect's mother, Mrs. L. Abbott, received mauve stocks with yellow ribbons. Guests were Mrs. L. Anderson, Mrs. R. Abbott, Mrs. R. Castner, Mrs. O. J. Wilkie, Mrs. J. Barber, Mrs. K. Kitley, Mrs. D. Brinham, Mrs. D. Miller, Mrs. A. Green, Mrs. A. Fredrickson, Misses Elizabeth Gardam, Margaret Little, Linda Maddaford, Teresa Roberts, Lois Tuck and Elsie Jernstedt.

Party for Affianced Couple

Mr. and Mrs. Don Wilkie, Newport avenue, entertained at a shower-party for Miss Elizabeth Gardam and Mr. Laurence Richards whose marriage will take place this Saturday. A large wishing well held the many gifts. A white carnation corsage was presented to Miss Gardam. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. F. Richards, Mr. and Mrs. L. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. R. Morton, Mr. and Mrs. R. Webster, Mr. and Mrs. G. Maggs, of Maple Bay, Mr. Bill Abbott, Miss Elaine Thomas, Mr. Tom Good, of Nanaimo, Mr. Ken Provan and Mr. Doug McKelvie of Maple Bay.

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Mary Burgess Honored

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TREASURES IN SOUK

Damascus Visit Includes Village Beloved by Christ

By LYNN NEWTON LOWES

A visit to Damascus, and bargaining for treasures in the Souk are the highlights in a letter received by Mr. and Mrs. William Newton from their daughter Lynn in far-off Lebanon. Part of this letter is presented in the following column.

Beirut, Lebanon.

"We have been to the oldest city in the world—Damascus. It is only a three hour drive from Beirut and a very beautiful one, for we had to pass over the range of Lebanon Mountains and Anti-Lebanon Mountains and across the famous cornfields of Rome—the 'Beka' which is the great plain between the two ranges. Finally we saw Damascus, a green oasis in the Syrian desert.

"There was a new fall of snow on both ranges so it looks like we might get skiing. Mt. Hermon (9,000) was very white and grand to the south.

"We left Beirut at 9:30 a.m. on Saturday and had lunch in Damascus, then we spent a delightful afternoon wandering about the Souk which isn't quite as bizarre and Oriental as those of Aleppo and Istanbul but still worth poking through. We bargained our way through the carpet, brocade and brass shops and others just for the fun. I got some beautiful silk brocade for a dress and some of the striped damask which will make up into a summer dress.

"We try to pick up something everywhere we go to help furnish our abode. This time we got a bright red striped rug typical of these parts and it covers the bedroom floor very well. All the floors here are tile because of the cockroaches and termites and also for coolness, but they have to be covered in winter for warmth.

"The air at Damascus was clear and crisp so unlike Beirut which changes every day and most days is warm and damp. The city itself is more Oriental than Beirut. You can see its mosques because the streets are wide, often with trees down the centre. They are clean and the buildings are white. I didn't realize what a dirty, disorganized place Beirut centre is until I saw Damascus.

Ormaic Language Still Spoken

"Sunday afternoon we drove to a tiny village tucked away in the mountain gorge about an hour's drive north of Damascus. It is unique in that the people still speak the language of Christ—the Ormaic language, which was spoken by all Syria at that time. Christ spent much of his time there. I don't know whether it was because of that but it is a completely Christian village with three good-sized churches and a monastery. The structure of the houses is very similar to the clay and mud dwellings of the Navajo Indians in America.

"A chap we spoke to there said that English is beginning to replace the French language in Damascus. It's not surprising as there is only one or two small French schools left and these are run by the government. As in Beirut, one hears French spoken much more than other languages.

"It is difficult to give an origin to the Lebanese. The Arab people are a Semitic race but here there is a great mixture of Armenians, Turks and French as well as all the other races. The people next door to us are called Anglo-Indians. He is, but she has a Greek father and Armenian mother and was brought up in Iraq. The children, who speak beautiful English, are just about everything!

"All the Lebanese shopkeepers admire Peter tremendously for his bargaining abilities. One of the boys in the store asked me if my husband was Lebanese for he argued just like one. When I said 'no' he said he was a pretty good man anyway. It's really quite amusing for you can see that the Lebanese really think much more of you when you bring them down to rock bottom. Even when we bought our foam-rubber mattress which is American-made (you cannot rely on cotton or spring-filled ones they make here). Peter brought them way down. Only English and United States people buy these mattresses, and the salesman was so amazed at Peter, he brought the price down some more just from admiration. He said it had never been done before. It's great sport!"

OF PERSONAL INTEREST

Dinner in Terra Cotta Room

Miss Mary Lou Gibbons will be honored this evening at a dinner party in the Terra Cotta Room of the Dominion Hotel by fellow staff members of the Imperial Bank of Canada. Miss Gibbons, who leaves in April for a six-month trip abroad, will be presented with a corsage.

A Tea This Afternoon

Mrs. E. A. Hill-Tout entertained at her home on Queen Anne Heights this afternoon with a shower-tea for bride-elect Miss Betty MacLeod. A large Easter egg cup in the shape of a hen held the gifts. Mauve and yellow motif was scene in the decorations, and in the corsages presented to the guest of honor and her mother, Mrs. Charles Hill-Tout. Daffodils and purple daphne formed the centrepiece for the refreshment table, which was covered with a lace cloth. Yellow candles in mauve holders flanked the setting. Guests were Mrs. S. E. Fallows, Mrs. Ed Dixon, Mrs. Ted Harrison, Mrs. Stan Mawle, Mrs. Keith Cameron, Mrs. Rudy Norton, Mrs. John Hunter, Mrs. John Dunlop, Mrs. Harold Hill-Tout, Mrs. Frank Gannon, Mrs. Phyllis Trotter and Miss Diane Norton.

Luncheon for Travelers

Mrs. E. B. Williams, 815 Transit road, entertained Wednesday at a luncheon for Mrs. A. G. Holden and Mrs. Anne Welton, who will leave Victoria Saturday for New York from where they will sail on April 6 on the Ivernia for an extended visit in England and on the Continent. Guests were Mrs. D. A. Holden, Mrs. R. C. Holden, Mrs. H. P. Rutter, Mrs. E. Harvey, Mrs. A. B. Williams, Mrs. G. Moore, Mrs. A. Anderson and Miss Pat Holden.

A Kitchen Shower

A kitchen shower honoring Miss Carol Lowery was held recently at the home of Mrs. F. McGarrick, 3029 Tillicum road. Upon arrival the bride-elect was presented with a corsage of red roses, and her mother, Mrs. William Lowery, received a corsage of pink carnations. Gifts were contained in a pink and yellow basket. Assisting the hostess were Mrs. J. Casilio and Mrs. C. Parker. Other guests included Mrs. F. Clarke, Mrs. C. Clarke, Mrs. D. Fyvie, Mrs. W. Lowery, Mrs. J. Williams, Mrs. C. Fairclough, Mrs. F. Messerschmidt, Mrs. J. Hiscock, Mrs. R. Birtwistle, Mrs. W. Gushowaty, Mrs. B. Martin, and Misses Doreen Forbes, Joy Lowery and Wendy Williams.

Studio Group

April meeting of the Studio Group of the Musical Arts Society will be held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Stamford, 1966 Fairfield Place, on April 6 at 8 p.m. The program will be devoted to works of Mozart with vocal selections by Eileen Paul and Doreen Radcliffe; Lorna Langley, harp; Bernard Rain, violin, and readings by Ina Sarraz.

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High School Students in Junior Red Cross Give Loom to Clinic

In an informal ceremony at a meeting at Red Cross headquarters Wednesday afternoon, representatives of Junior Red Cross groups in junior and senior high schools of Greater Victoria presented an advanced loom to Miss Dona Pistell, who has been attending the cerebral palsy clinic through individual efforts. Since the time it was opened, the various schools, raised the money to provide the advanced loom. Present at the ceremony was Mrs. H. B. McClung, secretary, Inter-High Junior Red Cross; Walter Altwein, president; Linda Winstedt, Victoria High; Judy Wright, Lansdowne Junior High, and Valerie Tyne, Oak Bay Junior High. (Photo by Paul Jancas.)



YEAR ABROAD

Mrs. Sonia Humphry will leave Victoria on Monday to motor to New York by way of New Mexico and the southern and Atlantic states. She will sail from that city on the Queen Elizabeth on May 16, for a year abroad. Her car will go with her and she expects to motor through the British Isles and on the Continent.

Clubwomen's News

Guests Present — The Ladies' Auxiliary to Sidney Army, Navy and Airforce Veterans No. 63, Canadian Legion, REEL, welcomed Mrs. V. Berry, Mrs. N. Baskerville and Mrs. M. Bennett, members of Victoria Ladies' Auxiliary, at a recent meeting. Plans were made for a birthday tea in April. Following the business session, bingo was played, winners being Mrs. L. McPhail, Mrs. Bennett, Mrs. S. Coward and Mrs. P. Eckert. Tea was served.

Program Presented — At the recent meeting of the Canadian Daughters League, No. 5, Dr. Estella M. Kelley sang several selections, accompanied by Miss E. Watkins. Mrs. Mulholland gave three monologues, "Balancing the Budget," "The Radio Pudding," and "The Innocent Offender." Sister Scharman gave a talk on her trip through England and Scotland.

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Guests at Government House

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Frank M. Ross will entertain at dinner Saturday evening at Government House in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Petrie of London, England, who will be their guests over the Easter weekend. Mr. Petrie, who is chairman and managing director of International Paints Ltd., and Mrs. Petrie arrive in Vancouver this evening from San Francisco and come directly to Victoria, returning to Vancouver sometime next week.

The Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Ross crossed to the mainland to meet the Petries and will return with them to Government House this evening.

Next Wednesday Mrs. Ross will again cross to Vancouver to spend a few days and will return to Government House on Friday.

Flying to Europe on Friday

Mrs. Alex Gillespie will leave Victoria Friday morning by plane for Vancouver from where she will fly the CPA Polar route to Amsterdam. In that city she will meet by her granddaughter, Miss Fiona Anderson, who will fly from London to meet her. They will have two days together before Mrs. Gillespie goes on to Paris to spend the summer with her son-in-law and daughter, Col. and Mrs. George Gaisford. The Gaisfords were recently transferred to Paris where Col. Gaisford is with S.H.A.P.E.

Returned From Hawaii

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rose returned to Victoria on Tuesday from Hawaii. They left here a month ago and after spending a few days at The Flamingo Hotel in Las Vegas, Nev., flew via Quantas airlines to the islands. They stayed at the Moana Hotel at Waikiki.

Home From England

Mrs. William Fellows, 1354 Beach Drive, will return by TCA on Saturday from England where she has spent the past three months visiting relatives and friends.

Royal Roads Chapter Named Conveners

At a meeting of Royal Roads Chapter, IODE, the following conveners were named to office for 1956: Mrs. J. A. Teng, Empire and world affairs; Mrs. L. McLaren, Veterans' Hospital; Mrs. D. Alcorn, press; Mrs. L. Trahan, flower fund; Mrs. Alcorn, child and family welfare.

Mrs. V. H. V. Sheppard, regent, presided at the meeting and welcomed three new members. It was decided to organize a contest for a satin-bound blanket.

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Bride-Elect Claudia Pomeroy Feted at Pre-Nuptial Showers

Miss Claudia Pomeroy, bride-elect, was honored recently at a shower at the home of Mrs. Ian A. Holroyd. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Kenneth F. Dunderdale. The bride-elect, her mother, Mrs. F. M. Pomeroy, and mother of the groom-elect, Mrs. A. McLeod, received corsages of carnations. Gifts were held in a decorated clothes basket. A shower cake of blue and yellow, iced with the words "Best wishes Claudia," centred the refreshment table. Guests included Mrs. E. Eastwood, Mrs. H. Holroyd, Mrs. P. O'Leary, Mrs. J. Reid, Mrs. C. Horncastle, Mrs. F. Crocker, Mrs. K. Dunderdale, and Misses Nan Baxter, Eleanor Wickett, Val Speed, Jean McLeod, Sylvia Crocker and Marilyn Wilson.

Mrs. Harry Fallas, Crease Avenue, also entertained at a kitchen shower to honor Miss Pomeroy. A decorated wishing well held gifts. Red roses, en corsage, were presented to the honor guest, and her mother and mother of the groom-elect received corsages of pink carnations. Masters Dale and Wayne Ostrom presented the corsages. Guests were Mrs. G. Harris, Mrs. H. Pepper, Mrs. J. Strong, Mrs. J. Larson, Mrs. Ian Holroyd, Mrs. M. Lunt, and Misses Barbara Fallas and Lynn Borgerson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Holroyd, Catherine Street, entertained at a grocery shower to honor Miss Pomeroy and her fiancé, Mr. John McLeod. Red roses and pink carnations, en corsage, were presented to Miss Pomeroy and her mother, and mother of Mr. McLeod received corsages of pink carnations. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. H. Hutchinson, Mr. and Mrs. E. Eastwood, Mr. and Mrs. Ian Holroyd, Mr. D. Pimlott and Mr. W. McLeod.

A miscellaneous shower honoring Miss Pomeroy was given by her fellow employees of the Motor Vehicle Branch. Mrs. Clifford Horncastle was hostess, assisted by Miss Helen Barker. Gifts were contained in a decorated box. A corsage of pink carnations and freesia was presented to the guest of honor. Her mother, and mother of the groom-elect, received carnation corsages also. A buffet lunch was served.

Guests included Mrs. Ian Holroyd, Mrs. J. Kennish, Mrs. B. Avis, Mrs. L. Bailey, Mrs. E. Miles, Mrs. H. Yetman, Mrs. P. Wilkes, Mrs. R. Wallace, Mrs. A. Gainer, Mrs. B. Stephens.

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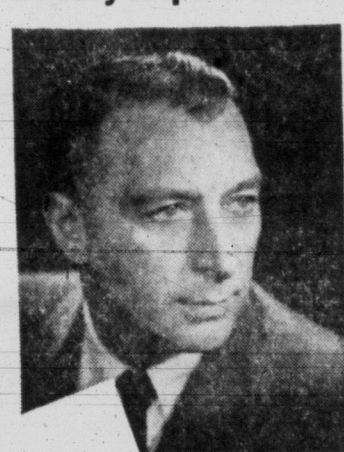
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WEST	EAST
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South	West	North	East
♥ A	Pass	3♥	Pass
♥ K	Pass	3♥	Pass
♥ Q	Pass	3♥	Pass
♥ J	Pass	3♥	Pass

 Opening lead—♠ J
 ♠ may play East for the queen of clubs. Given the chance, ♠ of clubs in the hope of dropping ♠ who will lead the jack of ♠ with the intention of discarding ♠ if you play the jack of diamonds that suit. Even if the finesse is lost, ♠ is better off in clubs. That is why ♠ is to drive out the ace of ♠.

one discard on the king of
have you one trick short of
a club finesse later on.
Then the two plays is simply
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'AN EPISODE OF SPARROWS' DRAMA ON C-11 AT 8.30 TONIGHT

Here are the highlights covering tonight's programs,
those scheduled for Good Friday and Saturday morning.

TONIGHT'S HIGHLIGHTS

7.00: Channel 11—Comic Johnny Carson winds-up
his show tonight. Next week he will be succeeded by
"The Arthur Murray Party."

7.30: Channel 2—Ozzie and Harriet start living it up
on the Vancouver channel.

8.00: Channel 4—Groucho Marx and his entertaining
quizz.

Channel 5—Bishop Fulton Sheen offers advice to
college and high school students.

Channel 11—Bob Cummings would glamorize
Schulz.

8.30: Channel 11—Climax presents the hour-long
drama, "An Episode of Sparrows," starring Brandon
Laidie. A small girl from the slums is befriended by
the youthful leader of a gang.

9.00: Channel 2—Kraft Theatre presents "The Fool
Killer," the story about a boy living in post-Civil War
times who runs away from the home of his foster parents.
He duly learns about good and evil.

9.30: Channels 4 and 12—Dale Robertson and Ma
Powers are seen in Ford Theatre's "The Face," a boy
grows up with one idea in mind—to slay the murderers
of his father and mother.

Channel 11—Ida Lupino stars in Four Star Play-
house's "The Case of Emily Cameron," wherein a man
devotes his life to looking after his invalid wife.

10.00: Channel 2—Concert Hour sees the orchestra
being conducted by Sir Thomas Beecham. Maria Slater
is the soprano soloist.

Channel 4—Lux Video Theatre stars Thomas Mitchell
in "It Started With Eve." When a dying man requests
to meet his son's fiancée the desperate young man per-
suades a hot check girl to do the job for him.

Channels 5 and 12—Confidential File treats with
the subject of sex offenders.

Channel 11—Wallace's sports show.

10.15: Channel 11—Movie: Dana Andrews and Rich-
ard Conte star in "A Walk in the Sun," wherein an
American pilot starts an inland drive from the beaches
of Salerno.

11.00: Channel 2—A religious film feature.

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11.55: Channel 5—Movie: Dirk Bogarde and Jack
Warner are seen in the English film, "The Blue Lamp."
A rookie policeman goes in search of the killer of a
veteran officer.

12.00: Channel 4—"The Book of Ruth." This is
a Good Friday offering.

1.45: Channel 12—Movie: Charles Laughton in "The
Private Life of Henry VIII."

6.30: Channel 11—In My Friend Flicka Ken and
Flicka attempt to help a crippled boy overcome his fear
of horses.

7.00: Channel 4—Boxing: Carmelo Costa of Brook-
lyn fights France's pride, Cherif Hamia, in a 10-round
featherweight fixture at New York.

Channel 5—Studio 57 presents "The Magic Glass"
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Channel 11—An Easter story.

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9.00: Channel 2—"The Easter Vigil." Highlights of
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Channel 5—Mr. District Attorney goes after overly-
sharp, high-pressure salesmen.

10.00: Channels 11 and 12—In the Line-Up a cowboy
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47 CARS FOR SALE

ASTROLOGICAL FORECAST

FRIDAY, MARCH 30, 1956

ARIES (March 21 to April 19)—Being more open-
minded in right line of expression really brings you out
of doldrums into whole new beautiful wide world. Be
definite about what you want. Then get more data.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20)—Planning behind-
scenes action for future gives you chance to see just
where you stand with others which you had not realized
were this. Be sure to show associates you appreciate their
co-operation. Then you make swift gains upward.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21)—Staunch supporters
and ambitious allies work along harmoniously to aid you
right now. Let them know what you want, then they have
exact image what to do. Also show them you have their
interests close to your heart and progress ensues.

CANCER (June 22 to July 21)—Doing whatever your
work, more with an eye to what one in power (where you
are concerned) expects, brings out the support for which
you've been working so hard. Let others see you appreciate
their sensible systems.

LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21)—Now you can bring your
special qualifications to the attention of those able to
bring you long-time success. Let nothing stand in the
way of improving your personal appearance to new
heights of attractiveness.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22)—Family affairs require
deep concentration and thought even while in outside
world performing other obligations. Be sure you do get
financial affairs as you wish them to be for a long time
to come.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22)—Now communication
with all others by phone, writing, personal visits brings
the results for which you have long worked hard. Let
others see you are willing to go along with them. P.M. enjoy
close companions.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21)—Financial income in-
creases in proportion to the long-range plans you now
make in adopting improved, modern, streamlined methods
of gaining greater efficiency, advancement. Be alert to
new common sense measures.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21)—You have so
much inspiration today that is on solid and secure ground
you just don't know where to start first. Just pitch in
and keep in motion and you get lots done. P.M. fine for
entertainment, romance, recreation.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20)—Enlarging your
idea to get a greater abundance requires you take mem-
bers of your household into your confidence. Otherwise
you do not get the support essential. Entertain at home
tonight. Be happy.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19)—Outspoken friends
have so many good suggestions you may not know which
one to act on first. Get in touch with all colleagues, etc.,
and ask for their recommendations. Then put into
motion. P.M. splendid for getting off with chums.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to March 20)—All worldly, civic,
patriotic, public expression requires exact attention for
by such an attitude you gain deep respect, support from
all officials as well as material-minded associates. Make
plans for future advancement.

IF YOUR CHILD IS BORN FRIDAY...
Friday's child is one of those very astute youngsters
who seems to know just how to delight all about. Make
sure you show this child early the long found, accepted,
and acceptable principles under which one can operate
with the respect and co-operation of worthwhile per-
sonalities who have it in their power to grant the favors you
desire. An excellent chart for collegiate study, foreign
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SATURDAY, MARCH 31, 1956

ARIES (March 21 to April 19)—Lots of newcomers
added information is available. You must get out and
scratch for it if you're going to have full benefit there-
from. Make yourself available to the finest convictions,
expression in life right now.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20)—Tackle that moun-
tain of odds and ends awaiting your attention and that
will make others realize your best points and bring you
greatest amount of added revenue as well as respect
from others. In effect all day and night. Be happy.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21)—Much conversation
with friend and foe, partners and opponents brings all
kinds of interesting, unusual ways to get away plus the
favor of those in high office. Let no grass grow under
your agile feet. ACTION.

CANCER (June 22 to July 21)—Have you an exact
image in mind of your greatest needs and best way to
rapidly gain them? If so, this is your day for definite
action. If not, try to utilize every moment in looking
about and thinking out how you want future. Then GO.

LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21)—You have so much inspira-
tion, so many worthwhile pressures, so much energy and
ability, you'd be wise to be forthright and positive every
moment. Show others you see their best points. Work
harmoniously toward joint aims.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22)—Now you really have
a when matters pertaining to your own home and
family can wisely occupy your every moment. After con-
sulting with your own clan, put arrangements into im-
mediate operation. Success quickly follows.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22)—Getting in contact with
those persons whom it's difficult to see; call during busy
week brings out some mutual co-ordinated effort for
which you've long been waiting and which can be help-
ful for years to come. PLAN: PUT INTO MOTION.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21)—Take a good look at
your real estate and personal possessions. Decide what
you can do to add to their value. Make immediate altera-
tions, changes. Then you find you soon have promotion
from higher-ups, added allowance, more revenue.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21)—This is YOUR
DAY to howl. Think out what you really want to be in
your life for a long time to come. Then go right after it.
Let others see your best points, qualities and you have
their complete respect, backing.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20)—You like to in-
vestigate, find out what makes others close to you tick.
This is one of those unusual days when whatever data
you want falls into your lap. Be receptive and in a posi-
tion to accept it.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19)—Getting in huddle
with firm friends and staunch supporters as well as am-
bitious associates brings out the best in all concerned.
Then you can gain some progress yourself as well as use
your talent for being useful to others.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to March 20)—Keep in mind just
what any official, executive, authority will think of what-
ever you do today. You have good chance to use problem
so wisely that you gain almost anything you want. Do
your own special job well, too.

IF YOUR CHILD IS BORN SATURDAY...
Saturday's child is one of those unique and unusual
youngsters brimming over with talents, who has little
trouble in getting the goodwill of those in power and who
is so loaded with talent that he can be a jack-of-all-trades
and master-of-none unless you early see to it he finishes
whatever he starts. An excellent chart for any work re-
quiring initiative, intelligence and interest. Be sure you
early teach that only what one really earns himself is
truly appreciated.

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1954 MONARCH Lucerne
Sedan, Automatic, white
walls, Radio, heater, two-
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IF QUALITY COUNTS
WITH YOU
COUNT ON US

1955 MERCURY Monterey
Hardtop, Radio, heater,
automatic signals, tinted
glass, whitewalls, DOWN

1954 MONARCH Lucerne Four-
Door, Radio, heater, power
steering, power brakes, automatic
side view, DOWN

1954 FORD Tudor Sedan, Radio,
heater, DOWN

1954 FORD Tudor Sedan, Radio,
heater, signals, A-1, DOWN

1953 CHEV. Sedan, Radio, heater,
power steering, DOWN

1953 FORD Sedan, Radio, heater,
power steering, DOWN

1952 PLYMOUTH Sedan, Radio, heater,
power steering, DOWN

1952 MERCURY Sedan, Radio, heater,
power steering, DOWN

1951 FORD 3-Door, Radio, heater,
power steering, DOWN

1951 FORD Sedan, Radio, heater,
power steering, DOWN

1950 FORD Club Coupe, Radio, heater,
power steering, DOWN

1949 DODGE 3-Door, Radio, heater,
power steering, DOWN

1949 FORD Club Coupe, Radio, heater,
power steering, DOWN

1947 MERCURY Sedan, Radio, heater,
power steering, DOWN

1946 HILLMAN Sedan, Radio, heater,
power steering, DOWN

1941 OLDS Sedan, Radio, heater,
power steering, DOWN

1940 HUDSON Sedan, Radio, heater,
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1914 OLDS Sedan, Radio, heater,
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1913 OLDS Sedan, Radio, heater,
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EMPRESS
MOTORS

MONTH-END
SPECIALS

37 FORD Sedan, Radio, heater,
power steering, DOWN

38 CHEV. Sedan, Radio, heater,
power steering, DOWN

46 PACKARD Sedan, Radio, heater,
power steering, DOWN

47 STUDEBAKER Sedan, Radio, heater,
power steering, DOWN

49 CHEV. Sedan, Radio, heater,
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41 BUICK Sedan, Radio, heater,
power steering, DOWN

50 PLYMOUTH Sedan, Radio, heater,
power steering, DOWN

51 CHEV. Sedan, Radio, heater,
power steering, DOWN

52 PONTIAC De Luxe, Radio, heater,
power steering, DOWN

51 BUICK 2-Door Sedan, Radio, heater,
power steering, DOWN

52 METEOR Sedan, Radio, heater,
power steering, DOWN

53 METEOR Custom Two-Door, Radio, heater,
power steering, DOWN

54 PONTIAC De Luxe 2-Door, Radio, heater,
power steering, DOWN

52 BUICK Hardtop Coupe, Radio, heater,
power steering, DOWN

52 PLYMOUTH Sedan, Radio, heater,
power steering, DOWN

53 PONTIAC 2-Door Sedan, Radio, heater,
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54 VAUXHALL Sedan, Radio, heater,
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Night School Art Exhibit Displays Genuine Talent

By AUDREY S.T.D. JOHNSON

This week the art gallery is filled from top to bottom with evidence of the industriousness and, very often, the genuine talent of adult students in the Greater Victoria night schools.

The exhibition this year covers an unusually wide range of arts and handicrafts.

Notable this year is the improvement over last year's standard, of the paintings and drawings done by 60 students in the art classes of David Anderson, showed conclusively that even if you can attend classes only once weekly you can still expect continuous improvement.

FRESH RESPONSE

Many of these figure studies, landscapes and still lifes show

Hogan, Crosby Sought for Labatt Golf

MONTREAL (BUP)—Organizers of the \$26,000 Labatt open golf tournament today bid for a star-studded field including hantam Ben Hogan and Bing Crosby to turn up at the event scheduled for July 12-15.

Paul Fortin, co-chairman of the nation's richest golf event, said he expected to get replies from Hogan, Crosby, Bob Hope and slamm'n's Sammy Sneed in a few days.

The event will be staged at the Royal Quebec Golf Club at Boischatel, near Quebec City.

Sneed was expected to be a sure starter. He has attended the open each year in the three years it has been played, twice at Summerlea in Montreal and once at Scarborough in Toronto.

Fortin said that when he left Montreal last summer "he emphasized the fact that he would like very much to be back in 1956."

Fortin said he was "under the impression" that Hogan would show up although the former United States PGA champion has officially bowed out of the pro circuit. He said it was "quite possible" that Crosby and Hope would attend because profits from the event would be donated to charities.

Tough Play Defended By Smythe

TORONTO (CP)—Conn Smythe, president of Maple Leaf Gardens Ltd., answers critics of tough play in the National Hockey League with these words:

"The world is not as it is stated in the printed book. If you turn the other cheek too often you won't have any teeth left."

That was Smythe's reaction Wednesday to criticism by two amateur hockey organizations of the jolting style of hockey in the NHL.

The former general manager of the NHL Toronto Maple Leafs said "Everyone has to be able to take care of himself in this world. If you can't, you can't win."

The Ontario Minor Hockey Association and the Toronto Hockey League Tuesday took exception to a statement by Jack Adams, Detroit Red Wings general manager, in which he said the NHL should control amateur hockey in Canada.

Smythe said that "wherever amateurs have taken the game over and banned body checking, hockey has died a natural death."

"In Toronto, when the THL introduced 'touch hockey,' their teams folded. In Winnipeg the juniors and minors tried banning body-checking. The teams out there would have folded without help from NHL teams."

Willie Holds No Grudge Against Don

CLEARWATER, Fla. (BUP)—Willie Jones, whose aching head feels "a lot better," isn't holding "any grudge at all" against Don Newcombe of the Dodgers for beating him in Tuesday's exhibition game.

"Newk is a swell guy and he wouldn't deliberately throw at anybody," declared third baseman Jones of the Philadelphia Phillies at Morton Plant Hospital. "All big league pitchers throw so-called 'brush back' pitches and I just happened to get hit by one."

The 31-year-old infielder was struck behind the left ear by Newcombe's second pitch in the fifth inning of a 6-2 Brooklyn victory over the Phillies. His protective helmet absorbed some of the shock, but he bled from the ear on the field and then lapsed into unconsciousness and was taken to the hospital.

Jones said he was surprised to learn that he was being quoted in one report as saying Newcombe "deliberately" attempted to beat him.

"I never said that," Jones said. "Newcombe wouldn't deliberately hurt anybody. I have no grudge against anybody. I just couldn't get out of the way of the pitch and I got hit."

genuine ability, an unspoiled sensitivity and a fresh response to the subject that show the student bringing out his or her individual viewpoint without undue influence by the styles either of the teacher or of other painters.

Sensitivity, variety of approach, and a stress on the fundamental necessity of design and composition seem to be the key points noticed in a show of photographs of very satisfying quality by the students of David Rogers.

Fly-tying is definitely a craft, and there is in the exhibition a nicely arranged display not only of completed fishing flies but also of the variegated materials of which they were made.

Good craftsmanship will be found too, as well as considerable variety of approach, in the jewelry, the art metalwork, and the hand weaving of the pupils of Miss Danial.

The exhibition will be open from 7:30 to 9:30 during the evenings of Thursday, Friday and Saturday, as well as regular gallery hours.

Flyers Dominate WIL All-Stars

TRAIL, B.C. (CP)—Players from the Western International Hockey League finalists dominate the 1955-56 all-star team announced today in Trail.

Spokane players captured seven berths on the first and second teams and picked up two more firsts in the selection of Art Jones as the rookie of the year and rearguard Jack Langen as the most valuable player to his team.

First Team Position Second Team
Earl Belter (K) goal Keith Martin (T)
Jack Langen (S) defence Ralph Lake (S)
Charlie Krueger (T) defence Joe Conn (T)
Lee Hyson (S) centre Art Jones (S)
Cal Hockey (K) wing Lorne Nadeau (S)
J. Miller (S) wing K. Leaverton (T)
Roy McBride (S) coach Jimmy Morris (T)

TCA to Operate 30 Daily Flights On Vancouver Run

Trans-Canada Air Lines will operate 30 flights daily between Victoria and Vancouver this summer, starting on April 29. This means 15 daily flights from Victoria to Vancouver and 15 flights from Vancouver to Victoria.

There will be eight daily flights between Victoria and Seattle, four each way.

Departure times, effective April 29, have been revised as follows:

Victoria-Vancouver from Pat Bay Airport (daylight saving time)—7 a.m., 7:45 a.m., 9:15 a.m., 10:45 a.m., 11 a.m., 12:15 p.m., 2:30 p.m., 3:30 p.m., 4 p.m., 5 p.m., 7 p.m., 8:15 p.m., 9:30 p.m., 10:30 p.m., 12:15 midnight.

Victoria-Seattle from Pat Bay Airport (daylight saving time)—8:30 a.m., 1 p.m., 5:45 p.m., 9:45 p.m.

The number of services operated between Victoria and Vancouver and Seattle is unchanged from last summer's schedules.

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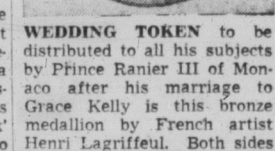
VANCOUVER (CP)—Promoter Edie Kalani said today he has arranged a rematch for April 5 here between Johnny Salkeld of Calgary and Buddy McDonald of Edmonton for the Pacific Northwest welterweight boxing title. The bout will go 12 rounds.

Salkeld won by a decision over McDonald in a fight for the same crown Feb. 2.

WEDDING TOKEN to be distributed to all his subjects by Prince Ranier III of Monaco after his marriage to Grace Kelly is this bronze medallion by French artist Henri Lagriffoul. Both sides are shown.



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Victoria Churches Mark Solemn Day

Most solemn day in the Christian calendar will be marked Friday in churches throughout Greater Victoria.

At Christ Church Cathedral, Good Friday will open with a children's service at 9:30 a.m. At 10:30 there will be Mattins and ante-Communion sermon by Rev. G. W. Lang, and from noon to 3 p.m. the Three Hours Devotion conducted by Rev. Canon Dudley Kemp. Evensong will be said at 5 p.m. and at 8 p.m. the choir will perform "The Passion of Our Lord According to St. Matthew" to music by J. S. Bach.

At St. Andrew's Cathedral, masses will be said today at 5:15 p.m. and 7:30, to mark Holy Thursday. There is no service Good Friday until Communion is taken at 3 p.m. Public Way of the Cross will be observed at 7:30 p.m. Friday.

Saturday morning and afternoon no services are scheduled, but the Easter Vigil will begin at 10:30 p.m. with solemn high mass at midnight.

Holy Mass will be offered again at 11 a.m. Sunday.

At St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, litany, ante-Communion, and address will be delivered at 11 a.m. and a devotional service with special music by the choir at 8 p.m.

A devotional hour, with a study of the seven last words from the Cross will be conducted at 11 a.m. at the Church of Our Lord.

At Centennial United, Rev. Douglas Carr will deliver an address "Who Killed Jesus" at a service at 11 a.m.

The Young People's Group of First Baptist Church will conduct a Good Friday service at 11 a.m. Mrs. C. Paradise will relate a passion-tide story, "The Painted Sermon." Soloists will be Mrs. R. Kroeger and David Mar, gifted baritone, award winner at recent musical festivals.

A passion play will be performed in the Salvation Army Citadel Friday evening. Entitled "The Ninth Hour," its scene is set in a prison cell in Jerusalem. In three acts, the play opens on the eve of St. Peter's execution which falls on the first anniversary of the crucifixion of Our Lord.

In the second act it turns back one year to the evening of Peter's denial of Christ in the courtyard of the high priest's house and closes at noon on the day following Peter's deliverance from death.

In the cast are Jake Dick, Fred Thorne, Stan Ratcliffe, Grace Horn, Max Chalk, John Astrope, Jean Wilson, Florence Slade, Edith Chandler and Bill Corbett.

Violet Kendall directs the performance.

The Sidney district will observe Good Friday with a service at 11:30 a.m. in St. Paul's United Church, Sidney, conducted by Rev. W. Buckingham.

Good Friday is Rally Day at Evangelistic Temple, Blanshard at Queens. Two services are planned at 2:30 and 7 p.m. The afternoon service will be a youth rally with visiting young people participating. The evening speaker will be Rev. F. Assman from Saskatoon, clerk of the Apostolic Church of Pentecost. A chartered plane is bringing a large number of delegates from the mainland and visitors are also expected from other island points.

A combined Good Friday service for congregations of First United and Metropolitan United Churches will be held in First United Church at 11 a.m. Preacher will be Dr. F. E. H. James, and the First United choir will sing.

Five Firms Bid On Diesel Units

Tenders opened here Wednesday for supply and installation of 10 Diesel generating units at Prince George and Dawson Creek for the B.C. Power Commission.

Cost will be about \$4,000,000. Five firms bid on the work, and an early decision is expected to be made.

Companies submitting bids were Maxwell-Simson and Associates, Vancouver; Worthington Canada 1955 Ltd., Toronto; Walkem Machinery and Equipment Ltd., Vancouver; Canadian Fairbanks-Morse Ltd., Vancouver, and Clark Compressor Co. Ltd., Calgary.

"The Challenge of the Cross," a sacred drama, will be presented by the evening circle of Women's Association of "Shady Creek United church at 7:30 in the church.

Stainer's "Crucifixion" will be sung at 8 p.m. Good Friday in Emmanuel Baptist church. Soloists will be Harold Parfitt, Phil Kelly, P. House, and Robert Husband. Mrs. Alma Wittick is conductor and Henry Pluym, organist.

Esquimalt United church and the Salvation Army will hold a combined service at 11 a.m. in the citadel, with Rev. Douglas Pilkey speaking on "The Great Plus Sign."

Young people of James Bay United church will give a dramatic portrayal of the "Passion of Our Lord," at 8 p.m. in the church. Taking part are Miss Peggy White, Miss Beverly Smith, Miss Carol Nainton, Miss Violet Smith, Miss Kay Hodges, Roy Ford, Ian McDougall and Doug Barber. Mrs. M. Chailoner is director.

Anglican
All Anglican churches will hold special services Friday. Details follow:

St. Matthew's—Children's service, 9:30 a.m. One-hour devotion, 11 a.m. Canon F. W. Tomlin.

St. Barnabas—Three-hour devotion, 12 to 3 p.m. Rev. Thomas Bailey.

St. George's—Three-hour devotion, 12 to 3 p.m. Rev. W. E. Green.

St. Mark's—Mattins, 11 a.m. Canon R. Willis.

St. James'—Three-hour devotion, 12 to 3 p.m. Rev. Douglas Kendall.

St. Paul's—One-hour devotion, 11 a.m. Rev. J. A. Roberts.

St. Luke's—Mattins, 11 a.m. Story of the cross, 1:30 p.m. Canon F. Pike.

St. John's—Three-hour devotion, 12 to 3 p.m. Rev. William Hill.

St. David's—One-hour devotion, 8 p.m. Rev. D. C. O'Connell.

St. Martin's—Morning prayer, 11:15 a.m. Archbishop Harold E. Sexon.

St. John's—Morning prayer, 10 a.m. Rev. J. Walsh.

St. John's—Coloured—Ante-Communion, 11 a.m. Rev. H. J. Jones.

St. Michael's—Ante-Communion, 10 a.m. Rev. H. J. Jones.

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St. Columba's—Liturgy, 7:30 p.m. Rev. Dr. E. H. Lee.

St. Stephen's—Mattins, 11:15 a.m. Rev. Dr. E. H. Lee.

CPR Wins Appeal

OTTAWA (CP)—The Supreme Court of Canada today upheld an appeal by the CPR against a lower court award of \$11,000 damages to the widow of a naval petty officer killed when a car plunged from a company pier in Vancouver.

Mrs. Vera McCrindle was awarded the damages by the British Columbia Supreme Court which found the CPR was one-third at fault in the death of Kenneth Gordon McCrindle Oct. 11, 1952.

New Tests Set For Gorge;

Report in May

New tests of Gorge waters will be carried out by city health officials, and a full report will be made in mid-May.

Sanitary inspector Elwood Gropp said Tuesday that according to federal health de-

partment resident engineer, H. Perry, the Gorge appears safer than Vancouver beaches from a health point of view.

City alderman and chairman of the Gorge Waterway Improvement Association, Geoffrey Edgelow, repeated his earlier prediction—there will be safe swimming in the Gorge this summer.

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White Magnolia body powder, ea. **1.65**
White Magnolia cologne spray, each **3.00**

Revlon
Aqua Marine Mist, each **2.50**
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The garments will be judged on workmanship, style suitability, fit and fabric choice.

Judges are: Mrs. M. Laughlin, President of the Business and Professional Women's Club

Mrs. D. Wrotnowski, Social Editor of The Daily Colonist

Mrs. N. Damaske, Fashion Editor of Victoria Daily Times

Preliminary judging has been carried out to select the five finalists, and all contestants are being notified, either by phone or mail, of the results.

The judges had a difficult time selecting these finalists, as the workmanship on all the entries was of such high standard.

See the Final Judging, Tuesday, April 3rd, 3 p.m., on the THIRD FLOOR

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Tecup with marshmallow-filled egg, each	50c	Boxed Sugar House 2 for	25c
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Chocolates, 1-lb. box, each	1.25	2-lb. box, each	3.00
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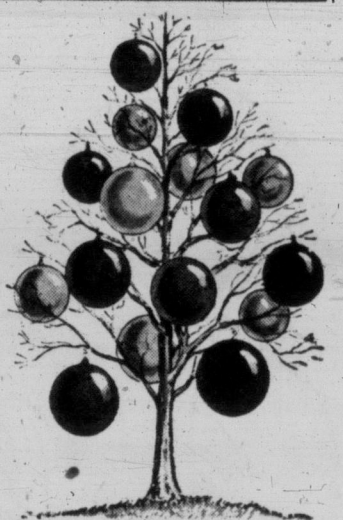
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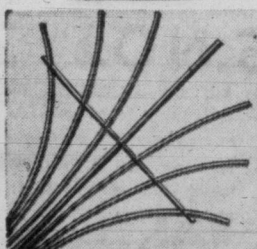
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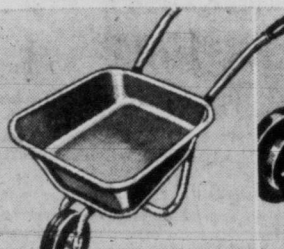
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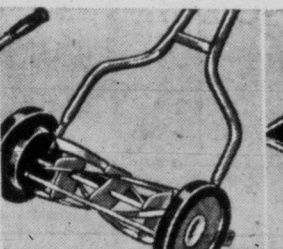
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Garden Cart

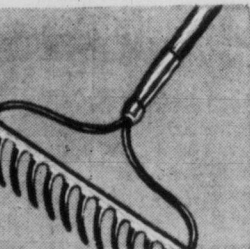
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HOLY WEEK SEES START OF NEW COVENTRY CATHEDRAL

In an ancient and colorful ceremony Queen Elizabeth today distributed Maundy Thursday money to "as many old men and as many old women as the sovereign is years of age." Queen will be 30 on April 21.

so 30 aged men and women waited for her at Westminster Abbey. Picture shows Queen and Duke of Edinburgh at Coventry last Friday where monarch laid foundation stone of new cathedral. (Mirrorpic.)

NO PAPER GOOD FRIDAY

Tomorrow, Good Friday, will be observed as a holiday by the Times staff and there will be no regular editions of the paper. Next publication will be on Saturday with Weekend Magazine and all the customary Saturday features.

Lethbridge Herald Publisher Retires

LETHBRIDGE (CP) — Retirement April 1 of Harold G. Long as publisher of the Lethbridge Herald was announced Wednesday. The newspaper's board of directors also announced that Hugh P. Buchanan, editor of the Herald and president of the Lethbridge Herald Co. Ltd., will assume the position of publisher while retaining his present position. Mr. Buchanan is the son of the late Senator W. A. Buchanan, founder of the paper.

Mr. Long, 68, who has been with the Herald for 45 years, will continue as vice-president of the Lethbridge Herald Co. Ltd.

\$750 Available Here To Probe Cancer Cure

Mrs. Lydia Arsens, Victoria MLA, has \$750 to pay the expenses of a delegation to investigate the cancer cure claims of the Hoxsey clinic in Dallas, Texas—but Dr. Larry Giovando, her chief legislative critic, won't be among those going along.

Mrs. Arsens, who claims there is a cure for cancer, told The Times today, "If Dr. Giovando wants to come I'd be glad to have him."

But Dr. Giovando said from Nanaimo "I'm committed here until after July, and won't have time to get away."

Mrs. Arsens said the \$750 available for the trip includes \$500 from the Hoxsey clinic, \$200 she has offered herself, and \$50 from a White Rock resident.

FORUM PLANNED

"We hope to arrange a public meeting April 9 at Central Junior High School, and want a cancer specialist, a natural path, a clergyman, and maybe a layman or two to speak," she said. "We might raise more money there."

A local patient of the Hoxsey clinic will be returning to Dal-

las in April for a checkup, Mrs. Arsens said, and she hopes to accompany her, preferably with a delegation of from five to seven persons.

Mrs. Arsens said that if Dr. Giovando won't go other members of the legislature might form a delegation later to visit the clinic.

"There is nothing I'd like better than to see the premier and all the legislature visit the clinic," she said.

Mrs. Arsens and Dr. Giovando first differed on cancer cures when Mrs. Arsens brought the subject up in the legislature, and Dr. Giovando disputed her claim that a cure existed. Since then they have continued to air their views at public gatherings.

SHAME... OUTRAGE

Wednesday night Dr. Giovando, speaking at a meeting of the Nanaimo and District Cancer Society, called Mrs. Arsens' allegations against the medical profession as "a shame and an outrage."

"I hate to see anyone suffering from cancer being misled by such nonsense as Mrs. Arsens is peddling," he said. "Right now almost 80 per cent of cancer can be cured by medical treatment, if taken early enough." Dr. Giovando claimed, "Cures being effected by use of the cobalt bomb and radium needle in Scotland are nothing short of miraculous."

Ald. Mrs. Alan B. Hall, acting mayor of Nanaimo who opened the cancer society drive in Nanaimo, was critical of a Vancouver Labor Council request that the provincial government investigate charges by Mrs. Arsens that the medical profession is shirking its duty in cancer research.

"It would be most unnecessary for our government to spend the taxpayers' money so uselessly," she said.



To Quit Politics

Dr. Larry Giovando, independent member of the British Columbia Legislature for Nanaimo and The Islands, announced in Nanaimo, Wednesday, he will not stand for re-election in the next provincial election. He said there is "too much abuse and too much work." He plans to return to private medical practice.

Ship Burns, 35 Rescued

PROGRESO, Mexico (AP) — Port officials said today all the passengers and crew aboard the Mexican motor vessel Motul had been rescued. The ship burned and sank in the Gulf of Campeche on Wednesday night.

Joselin Cobas, a port authority official, said 21 passengers and a crew of 14 were rescued by the Mexican coastguard boat Virgilio Urbie and an amphibian plane.

\$225 CROSSWORD TODAY; NO WINNER LAST WEEK

Since The Times will not publish Good Friday, complete answer and explanation of last week's Crossword Puzzle will appear on Saturday.

Meanwhile, to give readers full time in which to work on the new puzzle it is being printed today on page 25. There were no winners last week so the prize for Times subscribers in this week's contest jumps to \$225.

No Racing Friday

Friday is a scheduled open date at both Tanforan and Bowie tracks. Racing will resume Saturday with complete programs.

Penitent Prodigal Klaus Crow Laid Down His Head and Died

WINNIPEG (CP)—Klaus is dead. The talking crow put his head on the shoulder of his mistress, Mrs. Edith Rasmussen, today and died without saying a word.

"I don't know what was the matter with him," Mrs. Rasmussen said tearfully. "I tried to get him to play with me this morning but he wouldn't."

Mrs. Rasmussen was given Klaus by a friend a year ago. She said the bird could sing "How Much is That Doggie in the Window?" It danced to the radio and insulted the neighbors.

Eleven days ago Klaus flew away and for a week had suburban St. James residents chasing after him. He was finally trapped by a young girl who threw a cardboard box over him as he strutted in a back yard.

But Klaus was a changed bird. He returned home and refused to talk. He would sit by the hour on the back of his own chair and not make a sound.

"He was so bad," said Mrs. Rasmussen. "But he was so me another crow and I will teach it the tricks that Klaus could do," she said.

She had hoped to take Klaus, along with her three dogs and two cats to the Rasmussen farm at Whittemouth, Man., this summer. However, Mrs. Rasmussen was hopeful.



So Dr. Giovando's plannin' t' leave. But at least, y' might say he didn't leave till th' Party was over.

All I kin say is, there's a lot o' talkin' crows thet don't wear feathers.

162 Arab Rebels Slain by French

ARMSTRONG WINS CITY TV LICENCE

OTTAWA (BUP) — The Board of Governors of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation today recommended approval of a television licence application by David M. Armstrong, to establish a station on Channel 6 to serve Victoria.

'I'm Crucified' W. A. Scott Moans

Claims He's Called to Pay \$1,200 For Court Try to Unseat Mayor

"Tomorrow is Crucifixion day and today I'm being legally crucified," W. A. Scott told registrar J. P. Abel today as he protested against court costs of \$1,200 which he said he has been ordered to pay following a decision against him in his efforts to have the December civic election set aside on grounds of intimidation.

Mr. Scott said the settlement provided costs of \$400 for each of three lawyers.

"Where Mr. Scott is dreaming up the \$1,200, I don't know," said Lloyd McKenzie, one of the three lawyers who represented the city, mayor and city clerk in January. "Proceedings are not at the cost stage. No one has asked Mr. Scott for anything."

Today's meeting, Mr. McKenzie explained, was merely an application to the registrar to settle the form of the court order.

LEGAL EXTORTION

Mr. Scott told Mr. Abel that the costs were not justified and he was the victim of "legal extortion."

Mr. McKenzie said he was not going to listen to Mr. Scott making a long dissertation. Mr. Scott, he said, took the petition against the mayor and lost.

"Now he is trying to avoid responsibility for paying costs," he said. Mr. Scott, apparently losing his temper, jumped onto a chair and began shouting at Mr. McKenzie.

"Poohbah, lord high executioner," he shouted. "This is a comic opera. You bring Gilbert and Sullivan up to date."

PERSECUTION

He said "I've been abused and persecuted by the court. The whole thing is a fiasco." Mr. Abel warned him that he was in danger of being held in contempt.

Mr. Scott replied that the lawyers had tried to make a "political monkey" of him. "The lawyers don't understand my language," he said, "but I still have the intelligence to know that I'm right. There are a few who still believe that justice still exists."

Mr. Scott charged lawyers with being the highest paid men for being 50 per cent wrong.

Mr. Abel told Mr. Scott that if he was opposed to the costs, he had the right of appeal, but there was nothing he could do to change the order awarding costs to the successful parties.

Mr. Scott finally stomped out of the office, hurling abuses at the legal profession and the courts.



A-Ships to Scatter?

Dispersal to Commonwealth countries of the atomic warships now being built for the Royal Navy is being seriously considered, Earl Mountbatten, first sea lord, revealed in an interview at Wellington, N.Z., today.

Three Missing, 84 Injured In U.S. Blast

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Three men are missing, 84 injured and property damage is estimated in excess of \$300,000 as a result of a devastating explosion Wednesday night which reduced a four-story granary to flaming rubble and battered property in the busy 30th and Market street area. The blast, accompanied by flames, rocked a 35-mile area about 8:10 p.m. Deputy Fire Chief William Haas said after a preliminary investigation that the blast probably was caused by an accumulation of dust that could have been set off by a spark.

FBI CALLED IN

The Federal Bureau of Investigation joined with city officials seeking to determine the exact cause.

Not until the cold morning air cleared away the pall of black smoke was the extent of the destruction fully revealed. As far as the eye could see there were broken windows, smashed automobiles and scattered debris.

The scene of the explosion was at 30th and Market streets, two blocks west of the Schuylkill river which separates the downtown portion of the city from West Philadelphia.

Across the street from the blasted building—the Milling plant of the Tidewater Mill and Elevator Co.—the new Philadelphia Bulletin four-story building took the full fury of the blast.

Windows were reduced to glass powder, ceilings fell, partitions were hammered out of shape and office furniture was overturned.

Jet Hunt Continues

VANCOUVER (CP) — Seven aircraft from nearby Sea Island RCAF base and three more from Comox, on Vancouver Island, rejoined the search today for a missing T-33 jet trainer, presumed to have crashed a week ago in Georgia Strait.

Attach Crooner's Car

SANTA MONICA, Calif. (AP) — Crooner Dick Haymes has lost the use of his \$5,000 convertible sports car. The car was attached Tuesday in connection with a suit claiming Haymes owes \$316.94 at a Malibu market.

Top Troops Rushed To Algerian Front

ALGIERS, Algeria (UP)—France's crack 7th Motorized Division was en route here today to help put down the bloody rebellion that claimed another 162 lives during the past 24 hours.

Key units of the division, which was pulled out of the Atlantic pact defence line in Germany and partially reorganized to fight guerrilla-type warfare, left Marseille, France, aboard a troop ship.

The 1,100-man force is part of the 50,000 reinforcements French Premier Guy Mollet is throwing into the battle.

60 DIE IN FIGHT

At least 60 rebels were killed Tuesday in battle 200 miles east of here in which France unleashed sea, air and ground forces.

The six-inch guns of the cruiser Georges Leygues pounded guerrilla-infested hills near Collo, 200 miles east of here, and fighter planes strafed suspected rebel hideouts while marines swarmed ashore from landing craft. Inland, tough Senegalese troops massed to cut off the rebels' retreat.

In Constantine today, police commissioner Jean Marcelli was shot at point-blank range by an extremist.

U.S. PLANES DUE

In Paris, Air Secretary Henri LaForest revealed details of France's plan to beef-up its Algerian forces with American and British helicopters and other special-purpose aircraft.

LaForest said 175 helicopters—including 87 U.S.-built Sikorskis and Piaseckis—and an unspecified number of scout and fighter planes will be sent to Algeria during the next nine months.

The helicopter proved one of France's most effective anti-guerrilla weapons, serving both to track down roving outlaw bands and to carry troops in to fight them.

Killed by Elevator

SEATTLE (AP)—A freak elevator accident killed Mrs. Annie Ross Sexton, the operator, in a downtown office building Tuesday. Investigators said the 33-year-old woman's head was caught between the elevator and the shaft when she apparently leaned out.

HANGED HUNGARIANS TO BE 'REHABILITATED'

VIENNA (AP)—Hungary's Communist government announced today that it is "rehabilitating" its former foreign minister Laszlo Rajk, hanged in 1949 on charges of plotting with Yugoslav President Tito and the United States to overthrow his country's Red regime.

Hungarian Communist party chief, Matyas Rakosi, said Rajk's "innocent co-defendants" also are being rehabilitated. This is the term the Soviet Union has been using for victims of Stalinist purges who now are being declared guiltless.



AND THEY CRUCIFIED HIM. . . And sitting down they watched him there. . . Then there were two thieves crucified with him, one on the right hand, and another on the left. And they that passed by reviled him, wagging their heads, and saying. . . If thou be the Son of God, come down from the cross.—Matt. 27, 35, 38, 40.

PRAYER FOR TODAY

DEAR GOD we meditate today on the agony of Thy Son as He hung on the cross at Calvary. And we glory, humbly, in the perfect love that shone through that day of ultimate pain and death. We remember how He asked forgiveness for His tormentors, gave His mother a new son in John, called the penitent thief to be with Him in paradise. And we covet for ourselves the transcendent faith with which He said: "Father into Thy hands I commend my spirit." Through Him, may it also be unto us. Amen.

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BULLETINS

Menon Sees Pearson on Indo-China

NEW YORK (CP)—External Affairs Minister Pearson of Canada met here today with V. K. Krishna Menon, chief Indian delegate to the United Nations and a minister without portfolio in the cabinet of Prime Minister Nehru. It was understood Krishna Menon requested the discussion.

An Indian spokesman said that the talks here were concerned with Indo-China, and the fact that "things have come to a standstill there."

Israel, Jordan Exchange Prisoners

BANAT YAACUT BRIDGE, Israeli-Syrian Border (AP)—Israel and Syria exchanged 46 prisoners at this border point today under arrangements made by the United Nations truce supervision organization.

The Israelis turned over 35 Syrian officers and men and six other prisoners they described as infiltrators. Most of the military prisoners had been held by the Israelis since a clash at the sea of Galilee last December.

Quemoy Bombarded By Chinese Reds

TAIPEI, Formosa (Reuters)—Chinese Communists on Amoy and nearby islands today bombarded the Nationalist-held island of Quemoy, destroying 12 homes and injuring one civilian, the defence ministry announced.

The announcement said the Communist guns were silenced by Nationalist return-fire four hours later. Air raid sirens sounded during the battle to disperse civilians to safety centres.

UN Approves U.S. Nuclear Tests

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (UPI)—The United Nations gave its blessing today to next month's scheduled tests of American nuclear weapons in the Pacific.

The UN trusteeship council overrode Russian and Indian objections to the tests and approved by a 9-4 vote a resolution approving the tests in the Marshall Islands providing all necessary safeguards are taken. The Marshall Islands, which include Bikini and Eniwetok, are part of the Pacific trust area administered by the U.S. under UN supervision.

MP Proposes Compulsory Holidays

OTTAWA (CP)—A private member's bill which would require industries under federal jurisdiction to give two weeks' holidays with pay to employees after one year's service will be introduced in the Commons.

Stanley Knowles (CCF-Winnipeg North Centre) gave notice of the bill today. It will be introduced after the Commons recesses April 9 following the Easter recess. A labor department official said there is no federal legislation dealing with annual holiday leaves.

Britain Withdrawing Kenya Troops

NAIROBI, Kenya (Reuters)—Britain announced today she is withdrawing about one-third of her military forces engaged in the war against Mau Mau terrorists in Kenya.

Lt. Gen. Gerald Lathbury, commander-in-chief in east Africa, told a press conference "the time is not far distant" when the rounding up of remaining fugitives from justice may be left largely in the hands of police.

Escapade Was Fatal;
Talking Crow Croaks

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RACE RESULTS

TANFORAN

First Race—
Marek (Zollinger) \$11.90 \$6.50 \$4.50
Good Start (Bourbon) 4.70 2.20
Karin (Mason) 3.70
Time—1:12 4-5

Second Race—
Cassidy Red (Rizic) \$15.70 \$7.50 \$4.80
Ditta Ditta (Lewin) 5.40 4.25
Don't Panic (Lewin) 4.30
Time, 1:44 3-5

BOWIE

First Race—
Belmont's Ace (McGovern) \$6.20 \$3.40 \$2.80
Grimma (Marsha) (Lewin) 3.80 3.00
Air And Water (Sterling) 4.20
Time—1:14

Second Race—
Mojave (Riley) \$15.80 \$9.00 \$5.90
Maid O' Athene (McGinn) 10.80 8.60
Budden Shook (Servis) 3.80
Time—1:12 4-5

Third Race—
Lily B. (Small) \$13.40 \$4.80 \$3.40
Verna Lee (Nelson) 2.80 2.40
Bogie Miss (Shuk) 2.80
Time—1:48

Fourth Race—
Count Case (McGinn) \$4.80 \$3.80 \$2.40
Capt. Don (Cuthbert) 13.30 9.00
Mamel (Quinlan) 3.80
Time—1:12 3-5

Fifth Race—
Bottle Camp (Nelson) \$18.80 \$9.40 \$5.40
Hockstein (Dimasuro) 6.00 4.80
Bir Phil (McGinn) 5.40
Time—1:12 3-5

Sixth Race—
Columbus (Gibson) \$16.40 \$8.40 \$5.40
Hoop Ring (Sorenson) 3.40 2.80
Crown Derby (Gibson) 2.80
Time—1:11 3-5

Seventh Race—
Mistral (Lewin) \$9.20 \$5.20 \$3.40
L. Shrimme (Rogers) 8.60 3.40
The European (Sorenson) 4.40
Time—1:33

Eighth Race—
Albu (Cox) \$14.80 \$5.40 \$4.20
Junior Chic (Nelson) 3.00 2.40
Kerry's Boy (McGinn) 12.00
Time—1:47



HOLY WEEK SEES START OF NEW COVENTRY CATHEDRAL

In an ancient and colorful ceremony Queen Elizabeth today distributed Maundy Thursday money to "as many old men and as many old women as the sovereign is years of age." Queen will be 30 on April 21

so 30 aged men and women waited for her at Westminster Abbey. Picture shows Queen and Duke of Edinburgh at Coventry last Friday where monarch laid foundation stone of new cathedral. (Mirrorpic.)

Three Missing,
84 Injured
In U.S. Blast

PHILADELPHIA (AP)—Three men are missing, 84 injured and property damage is estimated in excess of \$3,000,000 as a result of a devastating explosion Wednesday night which reduced a four-story granary to flaming rubble and battered property in the busy 30th and Market street area.

The blast, accompanied by flames, rocked a 35-mile area about 8:10 p.m. Deputy Fire Chief William Haas said after a preliminary investigation that the blast probably was caused by an accumulation of dust that could have been set off by a spark.

FBI CALLED IN

The Federal Bureau of Investigation joined with city officials seeking to determine the exact cause.

Not until the cold morning air cleared away the pall of black smoke was the extent of the destruction fully revealed. As far as the eye could see there were broken windows, smashed automobiles and scattered debris.

The scene of the explosion was at 30th and Market streets, two blocks west of the Schuylkill river which separates the downtown portion of the city from West Philadelphia.

Across the street from the blasted building—the milling plant of the Tidewater Mill and Elevator Co.—the new Philadelphia Bulletin four-story building took the full fury of the blast.

Windows were reduced to glass powder, ceilings fell, partitions were hammered out of shape and office furniture was overturned.

"He was so bad," said Mrs. Rasmussen. "But he was so funny. We wouldn't hurt him for the world."

She had hoped to take Klaus, along with her three dogs and two cats to the Rasmussen farm at Whittemouth, Man., this summer. However, Mrs. Rasmussen was hopeful.

"My husband said he's got me another crow and I will teach it the tricks that Klaus could do," she said.

No Racing Friday

Friday is a scheduled open date at both Tanforan and Bowie tracks. Racing will resume Saturday with complete programs.

I'm Crucified'
W. A. Scott Moans

Claims He's Called to Pay \$1,200
For Court Try to Unseat Mayor

"Tomorrow is Crucifixion day and today I'm being legally crucified," W. A. Scott told registrar J. P. Abel today as he protested against court costs of \$1,200 which he said he has been ordered to pay following a decision against him in his efforts to have the December civic election set aside on grounds of intimidation.

Mr. Scott said the settlement provided costs of \$400 for each of three lawyers.

"Where Mr. Scott is dreaming up the \$1,200, I don't know," said Lloyd McKenzie, one of the three lawyers who represented the city, mayor and city clerk in January. "Proceedings are not at the cost stage. No one has asked Mr. Scott for anything."

Today's meeting, Mr. McKenzie explained, was merely an application to the registrar to settle the form of the court order.

Mr. Scott told Mr. Abel that the costs were not justified and he was the victim of "legal extortion."

Mr. Scott said he was not going to listen to Mr. Scott making a long dissertation, Mr. Scott said, took the petition against the mayor and lost.

"Now he is trying to avoid responsibility for paying costs," he said. Mr. Scott, apparently losing his temper, jumped onto a chair and began shouting at the legal profession and the courts.

Mr. Scott charged lawyers with being the highest paid men for being 50 per cent wrong.

Mr. Abel told Mr. Scott that if he was opposed to the costs, he had the right of appeal, but there was nothing he could do to change the order awarding costs to the successful parties.

Mr. Scott finally stumped out losing his temper, jumped onto a chair and began shouting at the legal profession and the courts.

\$225 CROSSWORD TODAY;
NO WINNER LAST WEEK

Since The Times will not publish Good Friday, complete answer and explanation of last week's Crossword Puzzle will appear on Saturday.

Meanwhile, to give readers full time in which to work on the new puzzle it is being printed today on page 25. There were no winners last week so the prize for Times subscribers in this week's contest jumps to \$225.



So Dr. Giovando's plannin' t' leave. But at least, y' might say he didn't leave till th' Party wuz over.

All I kin say is, there's a lot o' talkin' crows that don't wear feathers.

GOOD FRIDAY
TO BE GLOOMY

A none-too-hopeful forecast of rain for churchgoers on Good Friday, and the possibility of more rain Saturday, was made today by weatherman William Mackie. (Full list of church services on Page 26.)

"There will be rain tonight and Friday morning, with some clearing Friday afternoon, and temperatures ranging between 40 and 46 degrees," he said.

Hopes for better weather Saturday depend on whether or not a smaller storm forms in the wake of a disturbance due to pass over the city Friday morning. Weather will be "unsettled" behind the second storm, he said.

Father,
Son Perish
In Home Fire

GRACEFIELD, Que. (CP)—Herve Courcelle, 32, and his two-year-old son were burned to death today in a fire that destroyed their frame home in the nearby village of Chenier.

Mrs. Courcelle, the mother, was severely burned and two other children in the house at the time also suffered burns.

Gracefield is about 60 miles north of Ottawa.

Jet Pilots Safe
In Mid-Air Crash

CHATHAM, N.B. (CP)—Two Sabre jets collided in mid-air near the RCAF base here this afternoon and crashed. Both pilots escaped without apparent injury.

NO PAPER
GOOD FRIDAY

Tomorrow, Good Friday, will be observed as a holiday by the Times staff and there will be no regular editions of the paper. Next publication will be on Saturday with Weekend Magazine and all the customary Saturday features.

Channel 6 Station
To Be Ready by Fall
Says CKDA Owner

OTTAWA (BUP)—The Board of Governors of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation today recommended approval of a television licence application by David M. Armstrong, to establish a station on Channel 6 to serve Victoria.

Mr. Armstrong earlier announced he planned to have the station in operation by next fall.

The CBC board rejected an application by International Television Corp. Ltd., owned by William Rea, Jr., of New Westminster, to establish a Victoria station, and said Armstrong's application was "satisfactory."

"In recommending this application, the board notes that Mr. Armstrong operates a local radio station and there is substantial evidence of local support."

The board's recommendations are made to the department of transport which issues the operating licenses, and usually follows the advice of the board.

SAANICH STUDIOS

Mr. Armstrong will build studios at Derby Road in Saanich beside the transmitter at a cost of \$50,000. Technical equipment is expected to cost another \$208,713.

The station's power is expected to be 1,800 watts video and 900 watts audio.

His company will consist of Charles R. White, TV executive from Clarkston, Wash., a New Westminster dentist, Dr. Martin Mathisen, and himself. Mr. White has been designated station manager by Mr. Armstrong.

Mr. Armstrong said that the new station's (CKTV) studios will include a two-camera studio for live shows, news cast studio and offices.

He envisages live programs covering the news, weather, amateur talent, panel discussions, cooking and homemaking, children's shows, medical and legal forums, fishing, hunting and hobby shows.

Programs are expected to start at 4 p.m. daily and continue until midnight. Color programs will be shown eventually, said Mr. Armstrong.

ON NATIONAL NET

The CBC decision included a hint the new Victoria station would be joined to the transcontinental television microwave network cable due to reach Vancouver in 1958.

This was contained in a paragraph noting Mr. Armstrong's group "would transmit national

service as well as providing local service."

The CBC governors approved the sale of Mr. Rea's New Westminster radio station to the Inglewood-Muro syndicate but rejected a proposed sale to a three-member group that included a newspaper publishing firm, the Southam Co.

The board said it would not permit sale to the three-firm syndicate because the Southam Co. already controls two radio stations and has minority holdings in a third.

Rejection of Mr. Rea's bid for a Victoria TV license will cut a promised \$10,000 donation to the Junior Chamber of Commerce's fund for a mass swim across the Strait of Juan de Fuca.

Mr. Rea had promised to give \$10,000 and to televise the event if he won the Channel 6 licence battle.

Attach Crooner's Car

SANTA MONICA, Calif. (AP)—Crooner Dick Haymes has lost the use of his \$5,000 convertible sports car. The car was attached Tuesday in connection with a suit claiming Haymes owes \$316.94 at a Malibu market.

Canada's Extremes

High—Kamloops 50
Low—Prince Albert 9

\$750 Available Here
To Probe Cancer Cure

Mrs. Lydia Arsens, Victoria M.L.A., has \$750 to pay the expenses of a delegation to investigate the cancer cure claims of the Hoxsey clinic in Dallas, Texas—but Dr. Larry Giovando, her chief legislative critic, won't be among those going along.

Mrs. Arsens, who claims there is a cure for cancer, told The Times today, "if Dr. Giovando wants to come, I'd be glad to have him."

But Dr. Giovando said from Nanaimo "I'm committed here until after July, and won't have time to get away."

Mrs. Arsens said the \$750 available for the trip includes \$500 from the Hoxsey clinic, \$200 she has offered herself, and \$50 from a White Rock resident.

FORUM PLANNED

"We hope to arrange a public meeting April 9 at Central Junior High School, and want a cancer specialist, a naturopath, a clergyman, and maybe a layman or two to speak," she said. "We might raise more money there."

A local patient of the Hoxsey clinic will be returning to Dallas in April for a checkup, Mrs. Arsens said, and she hopes to accompany her, preferably with a delegation of from five to seven persons.

Mrs. Arsens said that if Dr. Giovando won't go other members of the legislature might form a delegation later to visit the clinic.

"There is nothing I'd like better than to see the premier and all the legislature visit the clinic," she said.

Mrs. Arsens and Dr. Giovando first differed on cancer cures when Mrs. Arsens brought the subject up in the legislature, and Dr. Giovando disputed her claim that a cure existed. Since then they have continued to air their views at public gatherings.

"SHAME... OUTRAGE"

Wednesday night Dr. Giovando, speaking at a meeting of the Nanaimo and District Cancer Society, called Mrs. Arsens' allegations against the medical profession as "a shame and an outrage."

"I hate to see anyone suffering from cancer being misled by such nonsense as Mrs. Arsens is peddling," he said.

"Right now almost 80 per cent of cancer can be cured by medical treatment if taken early enough," Dr. Giovando claimed. "Cures being effected by use of the cobalt bomb and radium needle in Scotland are nothing short of miraculous."

Ald. Mrs. Alan B. Hall, acting mayor of Nanaimo who opened the cancer society drive in Nanaimo, was critical of a Vancouver Labor Council request that the provincial government investigate charges by Mrs. Arsens that the medical profession is shirking its duty in cancer research.

"It would be most unnecessary for our government to spend the taxpayers' money so uselessly," she said.